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French Bayonets Ring Saar Border, Trouble Feared in Plebiscite

Mass Mobile Guards on Border to Cope With Any Emergency.

Tension Increases Within the Basin

League Army Prepares to Guard Ballots With Guns.

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Saarbrucken, The Saar, Dec. 28.—France is massing forces in Lorraine, along the French side of the Saar territory frontier, in preparation for any emergency in connection with the January 13 plebiscite, it was learned tonight.

The French have been rushing crack mobile guards to Lorraine, reinforcing border patrols as tension increases in the territory, with the vote on its future status only two weeks from Sunday, advices reaching the capital revealed.

It was understood this drastic action was in connection with efforts to tighten the Saar border on all fronts prior to the plebiscite, to prevent agitators or terrorists from slipping into or out of the basin between now and the ballot.

An airtight ring of bayonets is being thrown around the area and all who enter or leave are searched for explosives and other suspicious paraphernalia.

Populace Restive.

Inside the Saar, foreign troops from four nations marched the streets flying the flags of Italy, Britain, Sweden and Holland. The populace has grown increasingly restive under this show of force, and word from over the Lorraine line tonight of the French action added to the disagreeable tension.

The League of Nations' governing commission officials continued to exert every effort to keep the peace—the reason for the presence of foreigners in the Saar during these trying weeks—and soldiers in the international army of occupation have strict orders to refrain from any acts which might arouse resentment.

There is little effort, however, to fraternize with them on the part of the Saarlanders, even during the holiday season, and another incident such as the recent attack of a Nazi mob on a British police officer in which one native was wounded and the official badly beaten, might blow off the lid.

Saarbruecken, Saar Basin Territory, Dec. 28 (AP).—The League of Nations' international army tonight made ready to protect with their rifles ballot boxes to be used in the plebiscite January 13, as Nazis in the Saar's "parliament" heaped scorn on the foreign soldiers.

Meanwhile, Americans brought to the Saar at Nazi expense to vote almost unanimously admitted they already were homesick for the United States.

Under arrangements completed by the plebiscite commission, the soldiers will collect the boxes immediately after the polls close at 8 p. m. and bring them to Saar-

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Major Battle On in Chaco

80,000 Paraguayans and Bolivians in Decisive Engagement.

Buenos Aires, Dec. 28 (AP).—A major battle in which an estimated 80,000 Bolivian and Paraguayan soldiers were participating got under way today in the western edge of the Chaco wilderness, reports from the front said this afternoon.

The engagement, in which the Bolivian oil fields at the Tarija and Chuquisaca Departments were reported to be at stake, was expected to be decisive in the long, bitter Chaco War.

Bolivian defenders were strongly entrenched on the hillsides, the reports said, after their retreat westward following the fall of their major stronghold, Fort Ballivian, in November.

Paraguayan drives in the Carandayty, Capirenda and Pilcomayo sectors of the Chaco have been repulsed, the war ministry at La Paz claimed.

With its base at Villa Montes—on the retention or loss of which the possession of the Bolivian oil fields appeared to depend—the Bolivian high command had been busy for several weeks preparing elaborate modern defenses.

U.S. Lynchings Decrease Almost 50 Pct. in 1934

Tuskegee, Ala., Dec. 28 (AP).—There were 31 instances in which officers of the law prevented lynchings in 1934, when 15 Negroes were lynched throughout the Nation.

U. S. Girl Vanishes in Germany; Wire Tells of Arrest at Border

But Efforts to Locate Former Employe of John W. Davis Prove Futile; U. S. Embassy in Paris to Get Case.

Paris, Dec. 28 (U.P.).—Mystery tonight surrounded the reported arrest and disappearance on the German frontier of a New York girl, Miss Elsa Sittell, 25, formerly employed in the law offices of Davis, Polk & Wardwell, New York.

Miss Sittell, after a brief visit to Paris, went to Germany to see her parents, prior to returning to the United States. She had booked passage on the liner Washington, but failed to appear.

The secretary of the American University Women's Club in Paris received a telegram today written in German, from a small frontier town, advising Miss Sittell had been arrested on the border. The message stated: "Prevent trunks going steamer, Miss Sittell arrested frontier."

A frantic effort to locate Miss Sittell was begun by club officials. However, telephone calls to French and German frontier officials failed to show that she had been seen at any of the border points reached.

The case will be submitted to the United States Embassy and Consulate General with a request that they start urgent efforts through the United States Embassy in Berlin.

There was no indication in the telegram as to why Miss Sittell had been arrested or who sent it.

The case recalled the arrest of another young American woman, Miss Isobel Lillian Steele, as a "spy" in Germany. She was held for several months in Berlin jails before being deported recently, and is now in New York.

Former Ambassador John W. Davis is a member of the law firm which employed Miss Sittell.

Since her arrival in France recently, Miss Sittell had worked for the French lawyer, Count Rene de Chambrun, son of the former Clara Longworth, of Cincinnati, now Countess de Chambrun. The count is a brother of the French Ambassador to Italy.

The young woman said she had decided to seek her parents in Germany, whom she had not seen in ten years. They formerly resided in Lorraine, but chose to reside in Germany after the World War, when Alsace-Lorraine returned to France.

Friends said Miss Sittell may have failed to declare her foreign currency on entering Germany—as now required by law—and hence may have been detained when she tried

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Einstein Gives Simple Proof Of His Theory

Scientists Are Told of New Findings That Mass Equals Energy.

Pittsburgh, Dec. 28 (AP).—Prof. Albert Einstein today announced a new and simplified proof that mass and energy are equivalent, and for many practical purposes identical.

His new equations are an encouragement for that branch of physical science which hopes in the next few years to lay the foundations for a world more secure and comfortable.

He got rid of the complicated electro-magnetic fields with which this equivalence of mass (or weight) and energy have heretofore been proven. He used instead the simple collision of two material particles to prove the same thing.

It was his first important speech in the United States, and his first important announcement in several years. It was made at the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, under auspices of the American Mathematical Society.

Theater Packed.

While his audience of 400, the limit of the little theater of Carnegie Tech, most of them holders of tickets drawn by lot, filled the auditorium from back wall to stage, Einstein slipped in by the back door, and behind the stage curtain began covering two blackboards with figures and mathematical symbols.

As mathematical symbols they were unusually simple—ordinary letters and numerals, except one which somewhat resembled a snake striking.

The curtain rose with Einstein standing beside the two blackboards, his graying hair standing at all angles, a boyish grin on his face, which set the audience of scientists to chuckling. They applauded heartily.

Einstein spoke in English, for the first time at a lecture. But now and then he called on the audience to help him out with a word.

The idea that mass and energy

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Added Powers For D.C. Heads Asked in Bill

Prettyman Reveals Plan Which Will Be Placed Before Congress.

Broad expansion of the powers of the District Commissioners is provided in a bill which is to be sent to Congress for enactment when the session convenes next week.

The measure, still in process of being drafted, brings all municipal boards and agencies and officials, now legally independent of the Commissioners, under their authority.

Its sweeping provisions are expected to meet with strong opposition from such agencies as the District Board of Education, which controls the schools independently of the Commissioners under the present law.

Emergency Power Cited.

Under the proposed law, the Commissioners would be given "a reserve emergency power" to order the boards, agencies or officials to perform certain acts or to refrain from doing so.

"As a matter of practice such power might seldom be exercised; as a matter of responsibility it would always be present," it was explained in a statement made public by E. Barrett Prettyman, corporation counsel.

"It would not be available as a matter of appeal by the agencies involved or by outside persons affected; it would be exercised only upon the initiative and judgment of the Commissioners themselves."

School Board Fight Seen.

A fight to exclude the school board is expected.

Board members and school officials long have resented efforts of the Commissioners to extend their authority to school matters.

This fight has grown so warm that there have been efforts to bring about enactment of a law which would provide for an elective school board completely independent of the Commissioners. Members of other agencies, such as the Parole Board and the Board of Public Welfare, also have emphasized their in-

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British Map Peace Pact For Europe

Austria Independence to Be Main Point of Proposal.

France and Italy Are Expected to Give Aid at Geneva.

London, Dec. 28 (AP).—A general European security pact welding all continental powers into one common front against war will be proposed as Great Britain's New Year contribution to the cause of peace, it was learned authoritatively today.

The proposal, to be advanced soon after the Saar plebiscite January 13, was considered another major development in Britain's newly acquired role as umpire and pacifier in the continent's quarrel.

Diplomatic circles, which revealed the Government's plans, expressed the belief the move stood an excellent chance of success.

Step Toward Peace.

It would be the biggest step toward guaranteeing peace since the World War, they asserted, involving, as it probably would, satisfactory solution of the old Franco-German hostility and settlement of the Yugoslav-Hungarian controversy over terrorism.

While there was no official comment on the plan available in British quarters, it was learned Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald discussed it some weeks ago with various diplomats in London.

A major consideration of the scheme, it was stated, is to assure continuance of Austria's independence.

The five countries surrounding that tiny central European power—Hungary, Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Italy and Germany—would be the first asked to sign the convention, along with France and England, it was said.

Soviet May Be Invited.

While diplomatic quarters were inclined to believe Soviet Russia might not be interested particularly in the question of Austria's independence, they said she might come into special sections of the pact if invited.

These special sections, it was understood, would pertain to regional or general European security. Later Rumania and the other Balkan nations, as well as Poland, would be invited to participate in general or particular parts of the pact.

The proposal still was vague in outline, it was stated, and it was impossible to formulate its definite provisions until after Foreign Minister Pierre Laval of France visits Premier Benito Mussolini of Rome, probably some time next week.

Austria Focal Point.

France and Italy, it was said, would cooperate directly with Great Britain in putting forward the proposal at Geneva, seat of the League of Nations, where the League Council will meet two days before the balloting in the Saar. Not only would the signatory powers be bound not to make any move against Austria, but also they would be pledged against any action in which two or more countries were interested.

It was understood Sir John Simon, British foreign secretary and

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Countess Togo Dies at 73.

Tokyo, Dec. 28 (AP).—Countess Tetsuko Togo, 73, widow of the famous admiral who was the hero of the battle of the Sea of Japan, which clinched a victory for his country in the war with Russia, died today of pneumonia. Admiral Togo died May 30.

Lobby 'Graft' In Army Hit By Probers

Dern Orders Inquiry on Charge High Officers Accepted 'Fees.'

McSwain Group Again Demands Removal of Gen. Foulois.

Lobbyists were charged with corrupting Government officials in a report, bristling with allegations of dishonesty, which was submitted to the House yesterday by the Military Affairs Committee.

The committee also trained its guns on Maj. Gen. Benjamin D. Foulois, once more demanding his removal as Army Air Corps chief. He was accused of testifying falsely and of improper conduct in purchasing aircraft.

Another outstanding disclosure of the investigators was that Secretary Dern has opened an inquiry into the reported acceptance of loans or gifts from lobbyists by several high-ranking Army officers, whose names were withheld.

"Weak" Officials Cited.

"There can be no question," reported the committee, headed by Representative McSwain (Democrat), South Carolina, "that the tendency of the situation which evidence shows has existed has been to corrupt weak Government officials as well as the dealers and subcontractors who have participated in creating the situation.

"The great host of honest Government officials and business representatives have been placed under suspicion and the complete procurement system has been brought into disrepute through the machinations of an apparently few corrupt and dishonest officials and agents."

"It is undeniable that corrupt business agents have sought and have obtained special consideration and information from dishonest and weak Government officials. Such corrupt agents furthermore have sought and obtained gratuities even from the subcontractors and would-be subcontractors of their own employers."

"Gratuities" Detailed.

The report dealt at length with evidence of gifts to officials.

"It also was testified," the investigators recounted, "'loans' or gifts in money apparently have been made to at least two War Department officials in high positions.

"Special discounts and favorable trades on the purchase of new cars also have been given to inspection officers in a position to influence the purchase of cars, which special discounts and favorable trades were not open to the general public or even to other officers of the Army not having to do with procurement, except in one instance, which has been admitted of a corps area commander who obtained such special discount on the purchase of a new car by making his request through an inspecting subordinate officer.

"On the other hand, there have been disclosed officials having authority in the matter of inspection and procurement, who not only have willingly accepted frequent entertainment and special discounts as offered to them, but have sought such entertainment.

"Loans of money and gratuities of various sorts have, in addition, been

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Atlantique To Be Paid For.

Paris, Dec. 28 (AP).—The American, British, French, and German insurance companies concerned were ordered today by the French Court of Appeals to pay the full $11,497,200 insurance on the S. S. Atlantique, which was destroyed by fire last year.

Only 53 Bank Failures Shown As Comeback Is Staged in Year

Healthy Condition of Reserve System Is Cited; Lone Casualty Among Members; Deposits Up by $5,700,000,000.

An impressive picture of the extent to which the country's banking structure has been rehabilitated since the reopening of those institutions in April, 1933, was given yesterday in a series of Federal Reserve statistics.

Whereas bank failures in 1932 and 1933 reached unprecedented figures, only 53 bank suspensions have been reported here since January 1. Of these nine were covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and only one was affiliated with the Federal Reserve System.

In April, 1933, there were 4,215 unlicensed banks in the country with deposits approximating $4,000,000,000. At the end of November there were 229 unlicensed banks with deposits totaling $130,000,000. Of the latter, only 16 were affiliated with the Federal Reserve system, with deposits of $16,000,000.

Bank failures this year have been fewer than in any year since 1920 and never before has the Reserve system been able to report the failure of only one of its members—a small one, at that.

Another indication of the healthy condition of the banking structure cited was an increase of $5,700,000,000 in bank deposits bitween January 1 and the end of October. Large purchases of Government securities by banks were held chiefly responsible for this increase in deposits, since each loan made by banks to the Government constitutes an extension of credit and creation of new purchasing power, it was pointed out.

Due to seasonal demands for currency and credit, the excess reserves of the member banks recently dropped from $1,900,000,000 to $1,650,000,000. But with the passing of the holidays a return flow of this money has started into the Reserve banks and it is expected that within a brief period the excess reserve figure again will approximate $1,900,000,000.

January was described as always a month of monetary ease. The Treasury will start the New Year with the largest gold stock in its history, valued at $8,228,000,000. Money in circulation last Wednesday totaled $5,628,000,000, or $41,000,000 more than a week previous and $91,000,000 more than on the corresponding day of last year.

Meanwhile the reserve authorities are concluding their studies of aspects of the banking structure with a view to formulating proposals for legislation. So far no program has been adopted and may not be for several weeks.

5 Shackled Chain Gang Felons Flee Through Georgia in Auto

Macon, Ga., Dec. 28 (AP).—A manhunt was on in central Georgia tonight for shackled chain-gang convicts who, earlier in the day, overpowered a guard and abducted a veterinarian, whose automobile they commandeered.

Six attacked the guard and took his gun after one of their number jumped on him from a steep embankment. They were in a group of nine working on the highway 13 miles south of Macon.

One of the convicts, identified by the bookkeeper at Bullards Camp where the men were serving their sentences, as John Spears, Negro, serving 40 years for burglary, was captured within a few hours.

Nothing had been heard tonight from the other five prisoners—two whites and three Negroes—who wore their prison stripes, nor from Dr. T. M. White, Cochran veterinarian, whom they took with them after forcing Mrs. White and two children from their automobile.

The break occurred on the Macon-Corchran Highway. B. A. Bishop was the guard attacked.

Ninety convicts are quartered at Bullards Camp.

The sheriff's office here received a report that after Bishop's gun was taken, the three prisoners who did not join in the attack sought to go to the guard's aid but were held off with the weapon.

Bishop was scratched and pummeled, but not seriously injured.

Work for 4,000,000 On Planned Projects New Roosevelt Goal

Mrs. Lindbergh Will Take Stand in Hauptmann's Trial

Agrees to Testify Against Man Accused of Slaying Her Son; Flier Visits Scene of Kidnaping With Prosecutors.

Flemington, N. J., Dec. 28 (AP).—Mrs. Anne Morrow Lindbergh was listed as a State witness today against Bruno Richard Hauptmann, charged with slaying her first-born son, as the climax of swiftly moving developments in preparations for the Bronx carpenter's trial in Hunterdon County courthouse next Wednesday.

While New Jersey's battery of prosecutors worked briskly, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh went to his former Sourland Mountains home and with high officials reenacted his part in events on the night of March 1, 1932, when his son was kidnaped and subsequently slain.

Attorney General David T. Wilentz, chief of the prosecution staff; Prosecutor Anthony M. Hauck, jr., of Hunterdon County; Assistant Attorney General Robert Peacock and former Judge George K. Large, a special assistant, were in the party that met the flier for a first-hand inspection of the crime scene.

The nursery in which Betty Gow placed the infant in his crib and the window through which the abductor entered received special scrutiny, as did the spot where the kidnap note was left.

The purpose of the visit, it was learned, was to familiarize Large and Peacock with events on the night of the kidnaping and the surroundings. They questioned Col. Lindbergh on all details and the flyer retraced his footsteps over the path he took, armed with a rifle, after the son's absence was discovered.

Mrs. Lindbergh's prospective appearance on the witness stand was disclosed earlier in the day. She will "testify willingly," an authoritative source stated.

From Norfolk, Va., also came word that John Hughes Curtis, convicted hoaxer in the kidnaping investigation, has notified New Jersey authorities of his willingness to testify for the State. Attorney General Wilentz at Trenton said later he had received word of this offer a month ago and that it is "still under advisement." He indicated, however, the offer would be rejected.

Curtis, his counsel, W. C. Pender, said, is prepared to swear he had direct personal contact with Hauptmann and that Hauptmann, at one of several meetings that Curtis had with the carpenter, showed him some of the Lindbergh ransom

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A. F. L. Attacks Chamber Plea For New NRA

Lewis' Criticism Is Backed by Some Industrial Recovery Chiefs.

(Associated Press.)

American Federation of Labor chieftains led in dissent yesterday to the program for drastic NRA revision advanced by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

The proposal to mute the voices of labor and Government in code making, the chamber's failure to propose that labor be given a part in code administration, and the denunciation of majority rule in determining collective bargaining representation—these met the federation's principal objections.

"The program of the chamber of commerce is wholly in line with the selfish and arrogant policy reflected by this business group since the New Deal recharged their dying batteries," said John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America and one of the most active voices in the federation.

Attack on Program.

"It is a ghastly paradox that these so-called leaders who, by the stupidity of mismanagement, plunged the Nation into economic collapse unequaled in modern history, should now proclaim their desire, alone and unaided, to evolve a plan for national recovery.

"They accept the assistance and the money of the Government in organizing and reorganizing the shattered units of business and at the same time deny to labor the right to organize its own ranks and express itself through majority rule."

The chamber announced its program after a referendum of its members on how they felt the vital spots in the industrial recovery program should be changed. It suggested that the rules be made by industry and that the Government be given the right to approve or disapprove, but not modify, these rules.

The federation was not alone in its objections to the program. At least one sizable section of industry was understood to question

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Industry Faces Revolt of Idle, Says Richberg

Chides Supporters of Dole, Warns of 'Internal Dissension.'

Cleveland, Dec. 28 (AP).—Donald Richberg said today that America faces "internal dissension" unless the unemployed millions are given work.

Voicing a hope that business will "do its part," the President's recovery chief said there are "a large number of business men" who "now favor the dole because it will cost them less than to give men work."

Criticizing this view as "very short-sighted," he said.

"Perhaps it might be cheaper even in a money sense to find work for these idle hands to do than to support the armies necessary to hold them back if once these millions of pleading fingers were turned into threatening claws."

Fears a Revolt.

"It isn't always sound business judgment," Richberg said, "to pay the cheapest price for a thing. And it is very often very bad political judgment to buy the cheapest protection of national security.

"We may have some reasonable fears of a foreign foe, but the gravest dangers that threaten America are those of internal dissension."

Richberg spoke at a luncheon opening the Civic Exposition. He carried to the exposition President Roosevelt's felicitations:

"With due recognition of its value, the President of the United States has directed me to express his appreciation of the vision which has inspired this project, and the characteristic vigor with which the citizens of Cleveland and Ohio have carried it forward."

Urges Better Housing.

As one means of reducing the number of unemployed, Richberg suggested the need for better housing and the replacement of obsolete machinery and equipment.

"There can be no question that the rebuilding of the homes of

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7 Seized, 8 Indicted as Police Fight Gambling on All Fronts

With seven arrests and eight indictments, the police fought numbers and race betting on all fronts yesterday.

The vice squad raided three houses, where the police said, hundreds of dollars had changed hands daily over the numbers game, and also swarmed into a grocery store, where the police said race track bets had been accepted.

In District Supreme Court, while eight persons were being indicted on gaming charges, attorneys for Sam R. Beard and 12 co-defendants sought to dismiss similar indictments returned previously. The demurrer was not acted upon.

Places raided yesterday included a house in the 2100 block Tenth street northwest, where Lieut. George M. Little said a daily numbers business of $500 was being done. Three colored men, Paul B. DeBruhl, 30; Carl Chase, 24, and Nathaniel Willard, 36, were charged with operating a lottery. The police said they found slips and an adding machine on the premises.

At a house in the 1200 block U street northwest, where Little said $200 a day had been taken in, Lou Elizabeth Freeman, 28, and Frank Partee, 45, both colored, were charged with operating a lottery.

A similar charge was placed against William M. Chichester, 34, arrested in the 400 block K street

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President Prepared to Ask 4 to 5 Billion Appropriation.

Cabinet Weighs Relief Program

Guards Exact Nature of Jobs; Age Pension Demand Pushed.

By Felix Bruner.

President Roosevelt is expected to ask Congress next week to enact legislation to put 4,000,000 unemployed to work on projects financed in whole or in part by the Government. The President discussed with his Cabinet yesterday his forthcoming message, a major feature of which is expected to be relief legislation.

There were increasing indications that the relief program will concern itself almost wholly with work relief, for which it is estimated an appropriation as high as four or five billion dollars will be asked.

The appropriation would provide for the remainder of the present fiscal year and for the next fiscal year.

Relief rolls will be reduced from 19,000,000 to between 15,000,000 and 16,000,000 with the action of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration in turning back to the States responsibility for the care of some 4,000,000 persons classed as unemployable. This is taken as the first step in a program to put to work all employable persons and to eliminate direct relief almost completely. Of the persons who will remain on relief rolls after the unemployables are turned back to the States, it is estimated that 4,000,000 are men and women out of work. The remainder are their dependents.

CWA Creation Recalled.

Faced a year ago with a similar problem, the Administration created the CWA for the purpose of putting 4,000,000 men and women to work within a very short time. Most of this work, however, was "made work," jobs invented for the sake of quick action. Much of the work was admittedly useless or almost useless.

The new program, while having an objective similar to that of the CWA, is decided to provide useful work on definitely planned projects, many of which will be classed as self-liquidating. The Administration has the benefit of a year's experience since the CWA was created. It has had time to investigate the possibilities of hundreds of projects, and in many instances work can be started on them almost immediately.

The nature of the projects to be recommended, like the exact nature of the whole relief program, is being kept carefully guarded. It is expected that some of the projects will consist of outright Federal construction; others will be conducted in cooperation with local governmental units and with private industry. Projects that can get under way immediately are the ones expected to be given preference.

Among numerous other relief proposals that have been made is that the size of the Civilian Conservation Corps be doubled, increasing its strength to 1,000,000 men. This proposal was made to the President recently by Robert Fechner, director of emergency conservation work.

President Noncommittal.

President Roosevelt at his press conference yesterday declined to discuss the relief program except to say that Harry L. Hopkins, relief administrator, had found that there were many persons on relief rolls who had previously been cared for by local communities. He said Hopkins wanted as far as possible to see that they were cared for in the same manner as before Federal relief began to operate.

Several problems are to be solved in forming the program. Foremost is that of speed. Another serious problem is the amount of money needed. The Administration hopes that before many months a sufficient number of people will be employed in private industry to cut Federal expenditures materially. The third problem is that of organization.

The FERA has to do largely with direct relief. The PWA makes allotments for local and Federal projects, including housing and subsistence homesteads. The new program would greatly increase the importance of PWA and reduce that of FERA unless some new organization, possibly a combination of the two, is set up. Secretary Ickes has indicated that he expects to decentralize his PWA organization in the interests of greater speed.

Announcement by Hopkins that unemployable persons will be removed from relief rolls brought an

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Quintuplets 7 Months Old.

Callander, Ont., Dec. 28 (AP).—The Dionne quintuplets were 7 months old today. The famous infants, plump and normal babies now, observed the milestone in their lives in their own private hospital 100 yards from their home.

Pact Scrapped, Rift on Navies Widens Today

Saito Will Inform Hull of Abrogation of Treaty by Japanese.

(Associated Press.)

A two-year period of international uncertainty and diplomatic effort to reconstruct the shattered framework of naval limitation appeared last night certain to result from Japan's formal denunciation of the Washington Treaty.

Hirosi Saito, the Japanese Ambassador, today at noon will deliver to Secretary Hull his emperor's written notification of intention to abrogate the pact.

Warships—actual and blueprint—were scrapped under provisions of the treaty in 1922 and Japan's declaration today will scrap the pact that scrapped the warships.

Treaty Expires in 1936.

The United States, as custodian of the treaty, soon must carry out its treaty-ordained duty of informing Great Britain, France and Italy of Japan's action. This notification will certify that Japan's action was taken as of December 31 and—as specified in the agreement—end the Naval Limitation Treaty on December 31, 1936.

Officials here emphasized yesterday that Japan's denunciation will furnish the actual death blow to the limitation pact and that the United States will act merely in the capacity of diplomatic undertaker in notifying the other signatories.

Whatever onus may be attached to abrogation and any resulting unlimited naval construction, it was made clear, falls upon Japan, in the opinion of American officials.

Japan to Explain Move.

Ambassador Saito, in announcing Japan's drastic move in its determined policy to secure equality in naval armaments, will make public an official explanation why Japan considers it a necessity to end the treaty.

Japanese spokesmen repeatedly have asserted Japan must have equality and was willing to enter an agreement scrapping all battleships and airplane carriers and reducing fleets to mere sea police patrols if that scrapping resulted in equality.

The London treaty, which automatically expires on the same date two years hence, contains provision for a naval conference to be held some time in 1935. However, it makes no specific provision as to what nation will call the conference or where or precisely when the session will be held.

The recent fruitless discussions in London were designed to set a time and place for the 1935 conference, but became virtually lost in major aspects of the problem.

The Washington treaty also provides that the signatory powers meet within one year after denunciation of the pact—before December 31, 1935—for discussion of the situation as it exists at that time.

Britain, Japan to Drop Naval Conversations

London, Dec. 28 (AP).—Great Britain and Japan tonight abandoned any plans to hold extended naval discussions here after the American delegates sail for home tomorrow.

Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto, of the Japanese delegation to tripower conversations formally adjourned just before Christmas, will confer with Admiral Sir Ernle Chatfield, first sea lord of the British admiralty, and others before he leaves for Tokyo, it was understood.

There will be no general meetings of the two delegations, however, even though the Japanese originally had hoped to discuss possible bases for future agreement of principles of naval limitation to replace those of the Washington treaty, which Japan formally will denounce tomorrow.

The Japanese delegation dropped this idea when it became apparent there was no immediate possibility of reconciling the various viewpoints of the three groups, deadlocked almost since the conversations opened in mid-October over Japan's insistence on naval parity.

A last-minute meeting between Admiral Yamamoto and Admiral William H. Standley, of the United States, was held today, at which they discussed the situation in general terms. Later Norman H. Davis, the other American delegate, saw Robert L. Craigie, of the British group. No further meetings will be held before the Americans sail tomorrow.

Culbertson and Sims Sign for Bridge War

New York, Dec. 28 (AP).—Ely Culbertson today accepted the challenge of P. Hal Sims, of Deal, N. J., for a "fight to the finish" bridge match.

"All these years I have been itching to get my hands on you," he said in a letter of acceptance. "At last you have emerged from your hiding place to meet your master."

The match will take place at the Crockford Club, New York, in late February or March.

Film Table

RKO-Keith's—"The Little Minister," at 11 a. m., 1:08, 3:16, 5:24, 7:32 and 9:40 p. m.

Palace—"Forsaking All Others," at 11:35 a. m., 1:35, 3:35, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:40 p. m.

Earle—"Sweet Adeline," at 9:50 a. m., 12:15, 2:45, 5:15, 7:45 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 11:25 a. m., 1:55, 4:20, 6:50 and 9:20 p. m.

Loew's Fox—"The President Vanishes," at 11 a. m., 1:40, 4:20, 7:05 and 9:50 p. m. Stage shows at 12:45, 3:25, 6:10 and 9 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Peck's Bad Boy," at 11:30 a. m., 1:28, 3:35, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:50 p. m.

Columbia—"Babes in Toyland," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:30, 5:30, 7:45 and 9:55 p. m.

Trans-Lux—"Student Tour," at 2, 4:05, 6:05, 7:20 and 9:40 p. m.

Ambassador—"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," at 2:15, 4:15, 6:10, 8:05 and 9:40 p. m.

Between You and Me

Wallace Pushes 'Balanced Abundance;' the Townsend Old-Age Pension Plan.

By Raymond Clapper

A shift of policy is going on directed at lower prices and greater volume for industrial production.

Pressure for this comes from Secretary of Agriculture Wallace and the AAA branch of the brain trust. The explanation is simple, but the effects may reach far, because the quiet, dreamy Secretary of Agriculture has done some effective selling in other influential quarters.

It goes back to his original objective, which was to restore equilibrium between agriculture and industry. Wallace set to work first to push up farm prices by cutting down production. He has gone about as far in that direction as he thinks is possibly consistent with public interest, yet the disparity has not been overcome by a considerable margin. Agricultural prices are still 40 per cent below 1929, whereas industrial prices are within 15 per cent of 1929 levels. Seeing no prospect of pushing farm prices up by further enforced scarcity, Wallace turns naturally to the possibility of pulling industrial prices down. This opportunity is provided by the fact that industrial production is 40 per cent below 1929. The formula leaps naturally to mind—reduce prices and seek greater volume.

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This formula has three advantages, as Wallace sees it.

First, it would increase profits in many industries by reducing the overhead cost per unit. AAA economists have made studies which have received considerable discussion in recent meetings of the Executive Council at the White House. One of these attempted to show that the automobile industry, by reducing its prices, could have increased its gross revenue by 33 per cent. They figured it out convincingly enough to impress a number in the Administration. Wallace thinks that the only way many industries can show a profit next year will be by increasing volume sales through lower prices. He remarked rather acidly in an address at Chicago yesterday that while business leaders have contended this was a sound prescription for agriculture they seemed loath to apply it to themselves.

Second, this would increase consuming power for farm products in two ways. One would be through increased industrial consumption of certain farm commodities. Sixty per cent of cotton, for instance, goes into factory production. The other would be increased consumption of food stuffs. Pork consumption, for example, goes up and down with industrial production.

Third, lower prices on articles bought by farmers would make their farm dollars go further.

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It all amounts to a quiet but hot-footed retreat from the economy of scarcity toward what some of the New Dealers called "balanced abundance."

The first effects of the revision of policy probably will come through pulling NRA from under price-fixing and price-maintenance arrangements in numerous codes. Public hearings will be held shortly after January 1 to lay the foundation for this revision.

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Congressional leaders say the agitation for the Townsend old-age pension plan—providing $200 a month to persons more than 60 years old—is stronger than the pressure behind the soldier bonus. Letters are arriving on Capitol Hill by the bale. Some of the old folks are sending in budgets showing how they would spend the $200 on refrigerators, automobiles and luxuries which have been denied them from childhood. Their letters would wring tears from a rent collector's glass eye. If the Administration puts up an old-age pension plan the Townsend formula almost certainly will be offered as a substitute. Every member would have to go on record. They do not like that prospect, because if the measure is defeated, as it likely would be, that would be the signal to turn the heat on every holdout. It would be just one more bombardment from back home. There are so many now that you often find a member crying into his beer and asking why he is crazy enough to want to stay in Congress. Nobody knows why.

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Although the Illinois Democrats in the House recently indorsed Representative Adolph J. Sabath, oldest member of the House in length of service, for majority leader, an undercover movement is on to throw the delegation to Representative William W. Arnold, more energetic downstater. There's a suspicion, however, that all of the maneuvering over the No. 2 job in the House comes too late. Betting is going increasingly in favor of Representative Bankhead of Alabama, daddy of the compulsory cotton act and Tallulah.

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You could fight the battle of Gettysburg over ten times and the number of Union soldiers killed would still be less than the 36,000 persons who lost their lives in automobile accidents this year. The American automobile was as deadly in 1934 as 20 of the most important battles of the Civil War were to Union soldiers.

Railroad accidents have increased also, due, some officials at the Interstate Commerce Commission believe, to neglect under pressure of economy on the part of the railroads to keep their equipment up to the highest safety standards.

To go on with the sad story, someone has counted up that 120,000 persons are injured every year by slipping in bathtubs. The chances of being injured are said to be seven times greater at home than while traveling in a train, bus or other public conveyance.

You pays your money and you takes your choice of hospitals.

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President Roosevelt's press conference yesterday was the shortest he has held in the White House. It lasted just two and a half minutes, the last minute of which was occupied by a dead silence. No reporter could think of a question to ask. Finally the heavy stillness was broken by a snicker, probably from one of the New York political reporters, who came down to invite Mr. Roosevelt to the Inner Circle dinner. The Washington men felt a little foolish to have it happen with visiting colleagues present.

Lobbyist Graft In Army Cited In House Probe

Dern Orders Inquiry in Charge High Officers Accepted Fees.

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offered to these officials in return for which it appears to be established that they have given advance information relating to specifications and probable purchases, to the extent that a rivalry has grown up between the lobbyists for certain motor vehicle concerns and surplus property dealers."

Bidders, the report asserted, took turns having their competitors "written out" when specifiactions were drawn so only they could furnish the desired product.

Most of the past "sorry practices" would be eliminated, the committee suggested, if the Assistant Secretary of War and other officials would hold conferences with representatives of industry before issuing invitations for bids.

Specifications have been burned, the committee charged, to ruin the chances of undesirable bidders.

"Your committee can not too strongly condemn the practice which the evidence has disclosed respecting the carrying on of certain phases of the Government business outside of the Government offices, in hotel rooms, hotel lobbies and the private homes of Government officers or lobbyists. Numerous instances are established showing the vicious results of such modes of transacting public business.

Declares Copy Burned.

"For example, in the private home of a high-ranking officer, there was burned by said officer a paper copy of specifications which had been written in the office of the Assistant Secretary of War, to eliminate from competition one of the leading motor vehicle dealers.

"This copy of specifications had come into the hands of the officer in confidence and he in turn, upon the testimony of two witnesses who were present, is shown to have placed it in the hands of the dealer affected, in an irregular and unauthorized manner.

"The burning of this paper took place in the presence of said two witnesses, one of them being the agent of the dealer affected, who admitted the occurrence under oath. The secret knowledge thus disclosed was doubtless of great value to this agent and to his employer."

Concerning loans to officials the report disclosed:

"This same officer, moreover, is established to have given a 6-month note for $2,500 * * * in return for cash. * * * The said officer has at no time offered to pay said note. * * *

"In one instance a high official of the office of the Judge Advocate General of the Army is shown not only to have gone to the hotel room of a purchaser of surplus Army property, but is shown also to have participated in the negotiation and preparation of a contract at his own home where there were present numerous lobbying agents.

"This same officer is shown repeatedly to have sought and obtained large fees from private corporations in matters which related to his official duties and to have injected himself into numerous Government transactions in other Government departments, whereby he was able to favor claimants against the United States who, in turn, favored him by the payment of fees or otherwise."

Claims $7,000,000 Loss.

Testimony, the committee revealed, indicated the conduct of one officer caused the Government to lose approximately $7,000,000.

"Because of that practice," the report added, "your committee * * * recommends early enactment of a bill specifically forbidding Army officers from receiving fees of any sort for any character of service from outside sources."

The committee condemned the "pernicious practice" of lobbyists collecting fees on the "pretense" of being able to exert influence on officials charged with purchasing property or selling surplus goods.

Efforts of the committee to obtain additional testimony from Foulois, the report complained, "were met with the plea from Maj. Gen. Foulois that he had to be out of the city or was ill or for some reason could not come to testify."

Findings Against Foulois.

The findings against Foulois were:

"1. Maj. Gen. Foulois willfully and deliberately violated existing law in the purchase of airplanes and aircraft material.

"2. He accused superior officers of willfully attempting to deceive this committee.

"3. He testified falsely before the subcommittee as to his opportunity and authority in presenting Air Corps needs to the director of the budget.

"4. He advised the Second Assistant Postmaster General that the Air Corps was prepared to fly the air mail when the record shows that he as chief of the Air Corps should have known differently."

Lie Detector to the Rescue! Convict, 'In' 13 Years, Freed

Michigan Prisoner Not in Robbery, Declares Professor, So Governor Grants Pardon to Inmate Who Became Calculus Expert Behind Bars.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 28 (AP).—A pardon was speeding by mail tonight toward the Marquette Branch Prison, carrying with it freedom for Joseph Blazenzits, young lifeterm convict, who passed successfully the test of a scientific "lie detector."

It was 18 months ago that Blazenzits sat before a complicated apparatus in the warden's office, voluntarily submitting to the scrutiny of an "electric polugraph" his claim that he did not participate in the robbery of the Redford, Mich., savings bank in 1918, during which Thomas Houghten was slain.

Dr. Leonarde Keeler, of the Northwestern University crime detection laboratory, inventor of the device, shot questions at the youthful prisoner, while a needle recorded his reactions as indicated by respiration and blood pressure.

At the conclusion of the experiment, Dr. Keeler declared: "I feel sure Blazenzits had no part in the murder for which he is serving time."

The statement was included in the report which led Gov. William A. Comstock to grant the pardon.

Blazenzits was only 20, and had little schooling when he finally was sentenced to life imprisonment in 1921. Soon, however, he was deep in the mysteries of mathematics and within a few years had progressed as far as calculus. One of his favorite books was a college trigonometry text book. For one of the problems it contained the answer was given as 401.03 degrees. He worked and worked and finally wrote the publisher he was certain the answer should be 401.069 degrees.

Back came a reply saying the author, a Massachusetts Institute of Technology professor, had found that the young convict was right. A correction was made in the next edition.

Blazenzits, now 33, isn't certain what he will do with his freedom, but he hopes to find a job in which his hard-earned knowledge of mathematics can have full sway.

Pact for Europe Sought by British

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Prime Minister MacDonald conceived the pact, to which Germany already has indicated she will adhere. Simon's present European junket is for the purpose of arranging preliminary steps, it was said, and France and Italy have promised their aid.

U. S. Will Be Excluded.

After Laval talks with Mussolini, he may come to London, it was said. At that time, France may decide to abandon her proposed Eastern Locarno security pact, to which Germany thus far has refused to adhere, or incorporate some of its principles in the new agreement.

The United States, the informants said, was not included in the proposal, which was regarded as an exclusively. European proposition.

In some circles, doubt was cast on Germany's adherance, but authoritative diplomatic sources said Germany had agreed to participate if the pact arranged proves satisfactory.

These sources have been informed that Laval probably will visit London about January 15, moves toward proposal of the pact at Geneva following.

Traction Company Defies Labor Body

Won't Comply With Order to Recognize Union.

Los Angeles, Dec. 28 (AP).—The Los Angeles Railway Co. today communicated to the National Labor Relations Board notice of its refusal to comply with an order directing it to recognize the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes as sole representative of its operating employes in collective bargaining.

Many employes of the railway have been on strike for several weeks, but nearly normal street car and bus service has been maintained.

The company questioned the authority of the labor board to issue an edict directing it to recognize the union and contended it could not, in justice to nonstriking employes, accept the order.

Gifford Pinchot, 2d, Divorced in Florida

Dade City, Fla., Dec. 28 (AP).—A divorce was granted to Mrs. Gifford Pinchot, 2d, daughter of Gabriel Voisin, French automobile and airplane munafacturer, in circuit court here December 8 on grounds of infidelity, William M. Larkin, her attorney, announced today. The suit was not contested by her former husband, a nephew of Gov. Gifford Pinchot, of Pennsylvania.

Larkin said Mrs. Pinchot had gone to New York, where she planned to return to a stage career.

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French Guards On Border Wait Saar Plebiscite

Troops Rushed to Frontier Ready for Action in Any Emergency.

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bruecken in army trucks. Counting will begin the following morning.

Bitter Counter Charges.

To charges voiced in the anti-Nazi press yesterday that another "blood purge" had taken place in Germany, with 100 or more dead and thousands arrested, Nazis in the Landesrat today replied with bitter counter attacks.

As acrid debate between Nazis and anti-Nazis continued under the watchful eyes of the League of Nations governing commission and the league's international army, the Americans, many of whom were having financial trouble, said they were ready to return home as soon as they could.

Nazi leaders, meanwhile, were hunting assiduously for an anonymous American Saarlander who bit the hand that brought him across the ocean by joining the anti-Nazi Catholic party.

The nonconformist was being sought in the New York delegation, for some of the New Yorkers, the Nazis heard, expressed anti-Nazi and anti-Hitler views before sailing from the United States.

Contributes to Fund.

The anonymous American, adding insult to injury, not only joined the Catholic group, the "German People's Party," but contributed 100 francs to its fund, "with thanks for free trip to homeland." German Nazis paid the Americans' way across.

The "backslider's" public avowal was the chief topic of conversation in the cafe where the Americans, 40 per cent of their number naturalized and the rest having at least their first papers, gathered.

There were many complaints that the travelers had put their money in blocked marks travelers' checks before leaving the United States in order to gain 40 per cent. These are valueless in the Saar, however, and the Americans can get no more than 80 marks out of Germany even if they cross the frontier.

The German front is trying to arrange with its Reichsbank to get them out of difficulties, but so far has had no success.

Travelers Scrutinized At Frontier of Saar

Saarbrucken, The Saar, Dec. 28 (U.P.).—The gay year-end night life in the Saar Basin came to a legal end at midnight, as the League of Nations governing commission clamped down a strict curfew rule and closed the borders until after the January 13 plebiscite.

Persons crossing the frontier from any side are scrutinized and asked to explain their business before being allowed to proceed in or out of the territory, tense with preparations for the vote next month on its future status.

Some are being held for further inquiry, in the event their papers are not altogether in order, which may result in some being "missing" temporarily, until their business and identity can be established.

No foreigner may now enter the Saar from France, Germany or elsewhere without permisson of the league commission. To allow correspondents free movement, however, the league has arranged a special journalists' passport, sold for 20 francs (about $1.30) each—but tourists can not obtain admission at any price.

The league commission's curfew forbids drinking or singing after midnight, but one concession was made in the regulation—cafes and restaurants may remain open all night on "Silvester-Abend," or New Year's Eve.

Support Arms Inquiry, Petition Asks President

A petition bearing more than 12,000 names, urging President Roosevelt to continue his support of the Senate investigation of the munitions industry, was presented to the White House yesterday by the Quakers.

The investigation "has brought to light facts of sinister significance regarding the international trade in arms," according to the petitioners. The document was left at the White House by Mrs. Homer L. Morris and Thomas Kennedy, on behalf of the General Conference of the Religious Society of Friends.

7 Seized, 8 Indicted In Gambling War

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northwest, where the police said they found slips totaling $600.

Louis Liebman, 46, was arrested in his grocery store in the 1700 block Seventh street northwest, charged with permitting gambling. The police said race track bets had been accepted in the store. Thirteen patrons were summoned as witnesses.

Second Indictment Fought.

In court, Beard and his companions fought a second indictment returned against them recently after Beard had claimed the first to be illegal because a woman grand juror had held a Government contract. Although Justice Oscar R. Luhring had held the first indictment valid, United States Attorney Leslie C. Garnett obtained a second indictment, "in a superabundance of caution," he said.

Beard's attorneys repeated their contention that the first indictment was invalid, and asserted that the second, returned by a grand jury in which the disputed member had been supplanted, was not lawful either. Beard and his associates were arrested in the Mather Building, where a telephone outfit capable of making 1,600 calls simultaneously was confiscated.

One of the most voluminous indictments of recent months was returned against Peter Stegos, John Peter Marcos and Joe Smith. There were 21 counts, most of them charging simple misdemeanors. The three were charged with operating a numbers place in the 2500 block of L street northwest. They also were charged with violating the lottery and policy laws.

Five Others Are Accused.

Another indictment charged Thomas C. Moore and four others with setting up a gaming table and conspiring to violate the gaming laws. The indictment was based on information obtained in two raids early this month, both in houses in the 1700 block Fourteenth street northwest.

In one, the police said they found 100 telephones and 10 trunk lines and arrested John Thomas Tilghman, Elmer Clayton and Jeremiah Ross. They failed to capture Moore.

In the second raid the following day, Charles Harrison, colored, was arrested. The indictment alleged that a conspiracy existed among the five to operate the two places.

Richberg Fears Jobless Revolt

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America would make for a far greater advance of our civilization than any other one development," he said.

Richberg asserted he was "loathe to agree' with any contention that private enterprise couldn't put the unemployed to work.

"I do not believe that the energies of American business men and the courage of American financiers have been exhausted in the last few years," he said.

If private enterprise failed to take over the job, however, he continued, the Government would have to."

Transfers

Appointments Announced for Army and Navy.

(Associated Press.)

Army orders yesterday included:

MAJOR GENERAL.

Irving J. Carr, chief signal officer, retired for disability incident to service.

MAJORS.

George L. Peltier, Infantry, to Fort George G. Meade, Md.; Bonaparte P. Norvell and Guy D. Griggs, Medical Corps, and Chapman Grant, Infantry, retired for disability incident to service.

CAPTAINS.

Horace N. Gibson, Infantry, relieved from observation and treatment, Hot Springs National Park, Ark., to proper station. Fort Snelling, Minn.; Hugh F. Ewing, Quartermaster Corps, to Presidio of San Francisco; Ralph C. Dibert, Chaplain Corps, orders to Hawaiian Department revoked.

SECOND LIEUTENANT.

Vivian E. Smith, nurse, Army Nurse Corps, Hot Springs National Park, Ark., to home, await retirement.

APPOINTMENTS.

Technical Sergt. Andy Vaughan Little, Staff Sergts. Richard Case and Omar Kenneth Andrews, Sergt. Everett Walter Partin and Corpl. Elmer Egbert Daman appointed second lieutenant, Medical Administrative Corps.

Navy orders included:

COMMANDER.

Samuel S. Payne, Navy Department to U. S. S. Arizona.

LIEUTENANTS (JUNIOR GRADE).

Lawrence H. Martin, Washington, D. C., to U. S. S. Monaghan; Warren R. Sampson, U. S. S. Dolphin to a submarine of Submarine Division 4; Russell C. Williams, U. S. S. Indianapolis to U. S. S. Aylwin.

ENSIGN.

Nepburn A. Pearce, U. S. S. Phillip to U. S. S. Overton.

Medical Corps.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER.

Forest M. Harrison, Boston, Mass., to Asiatic station.

LIEUTENANTS.

Edward M. Harris, jr., Boston, Mass., to Asiatic station; Edward F. Kunkel, San Diego, Calif., to Asiatic station.

LIEUTENANTS (JUNIOR GRADE).

George W. Dickinson, Louis P. Gillis and William R. Whitford, San Diego, Calif., to Asiatic station.

Supply Corps.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDERS.

John H. Skillman, Navy Department to U. S. S. Pensacola; Ralph W. Swearingen, Pearl Harbor, T. H., to U. S. S. Beaver.

LIEUTENANTS.

Samuel E. McCarty, Coco Solo, Canal Zone, to U. S. S. Saratoga.

SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP—Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned Johanne Sorensen and Hansine Sorensen, carrying on business as a restaurant at 722 Seventeenth street northwest, Washington, D. C., under the style or firm name of Danish Rose Restaurant, was on the 26TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1934, dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business in the future will be carried on by the said Johanne Sorensen alone, who will pay and discharge all debts and liabilities, and receive all moneys payable to the said late firm.

HANSINE SORENSEN.
JOHANNE SORENSEN.

NOTICE IS HERERY GIVEN THAT THE American Security & Trust Co. has declared a regular dividend of 2 per cent on its capital stock of $3,400,000, payable January 10, 1935, to the stockholders of record at the close of business on December 31, 1934. The annual meeting of the stockholders of said company for the election of directors for the ensuing year, the presentation of the annual report of the president and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before them will be held at the office of the company in the City of Washington, D. C., on TUESDAY, January 15, 1935, at 12 o'clock noon, and the polls will be open until 12:30 o'clock p. m. The transfer books of the company will be closed from January 6 to the 15th, both days included.

CORCORAN THOM, President.
FREDERICK P. H. SIDDONS, Secretary.

LAWYER WANTED FOR INFORMATION regarding Wainwright legacy. Write Gustav Ostrowski, Mio, Michigan.

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Robinson Here For Roosevelt Parley Today

Pre-Session Conference at White House to Weigh Relief Program.

President Roosevelt will devote his last week-end before Congress convenes to a careful final examination of Administration proposals, which presumably he will reveal to Senator Joseph T. Robinson, of Arkansas, the Democratic leader, today.

Senator Robinson reached Washington early last night, driving his own little car from Little Rock. He put off all questioners until today, leaving the inference that he first wanted to confer with the President.

At the White House it was said that no appointment had been made, but that the Senator is expected to be invited in as soon as he communicates with one of the President's secretaries. This was looked for this morning.

Program Kept Secret.

Since most of the Administration's program has been kept a secret, even from Democratic leaders on Capitol Hill, unusual significance was attached to Senator Robinson's first pre-session meeting with Mr. Roosevelt.

He last conferred with the President at Warm Springs, Ga., during the latter part of November. There, the Senator declared that the New Deal will put forth a "reasonably conservative program." This was in reply to questions as to the size of the new relief plans.

No general conference on strategy has yet been called by the White House, which has left Democratic leaders in the dark. Nor is any such meeting planned before Congress is actually on hand, according to the White House.

Some feeling has been aroused, particularly among Republican leaders, by the President's apparent unwillingness to take members into his confidence. This was looked upon as a tactical maneuver to prevent the formation of opposition blocs in advance of individual proposals.

Again Mr. Roosevelt is expected to send up a series of short, crisp messages that center attention on one question at a time. His annual message will deal principally with relief, and will be both short and general in nature.

The President remarked yesterday that the message is in scrap form, still to be glued together. He added it may be Friday before he delivers it to Congress, since the House will be faced with the necessity of organizing on the opening day Thursday.

Democratic leaders disclaim any advance information on the Administration's program.

U. S. Girl Vanishes At German Border

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to take out cash she had not declared. The law forbids exportation of capital.

Girl Able Linguist.

Miss Sittell speaks French and German as ably as English, her friends added, and unless serious grounds are found for her arrest they felt assured she would obtain her own early release.

At the Davis law offices, it was said Miss Sittell had worked there from April until about two weeks ago. She quit, saying she had obtained a position in France. Her work in the Davis offices involved translating documents from the French.

Chrobot Is Elected Master of Lodge

Westminster, Md., Dec. 28 (Spl).—Leo Chrobot was named worthy master of Westminster (Carroll County) Lodge, No. 41, Independent Order Mechanics, at the semi-annual election of officers held here last night.

Other officers named were Howard Pickett, junior master; Jesse L. Berman, treasurer; William King, financial secretary; O. S. Bohn, recording secretary; Luther Wimert, chaplain; Charles Clem, conductor; Sterling Lentzner, inner guard; Aubrey Wagner, outer guard.

Trustees, L. E. Wimert, Abraham Price, Filbert Caltrider, Daniel Long, S. C. Stoner. Representative to grand lodge, Luther Wimert; alternate, Filbert Caltrider. Trustees, representative to grand lodge, treasurer; financial secretary, and recording secretary are elected for one year.

Culpeper Resident Dies.

Culpeper, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Mrs. Sarah Johnston Richards, 72, widow of David G. Richards. Mrs. Richards died Thursday at her home in Culpeper.

Mrs. Richards was a native of northern Illinois, coming to Virginia about 20 years ago. She is survived by three children, Mrs. Verne Healy and Herbert L. Richards, of Culpeper, and Mrs. Julian T. Bowman, of Alexandria, and several brothers and sisters in Illinois.

Tularemia Victim Dies.

Harrisonburg, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.). Rockingham's first victim of tularemia, Mrs. Lucy Lee Blose, 56, was buried today.

Mrs. Blose, widow of W. A. Blose, mail clerk on the Southern Railway, became ill several weeks ago from "rabbit fever" and pneumonia developed. She was born at Stanley, Page County, in 1878. She attended West Central Academy and Shenandoah Institute.

She is survived by seven children, Mrs. Carl Jenkins and Mrs. E. J. Shuler, of Stanley; Lloyd and William A. Blose jr.; Evelyn, Louise and Elizabeth Blose, at home.

The Senate Prepares for New Session

Pages polishing up the rostrum where Vice President Garner presides over the Senate.

Work-Aid Jobs For 4,000,000 Roosevelt Aim

President Prepared to Ask Congress for 4 to 5 Billion Fund.

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immediate demand for enactment of old-age pension legislation. It was pointed out that perhaps a majority of these persons are old people.

Senator Borah (Republican), of Idaho, declared in a statement that there already was great suffering among the aged and that there would be more unless old-age pension legislation was provided immediately.

"Taking some 4,000,000 'unemployables' from the Federal relief rolls, mostly old people, and placing them back on the States makes old-age pension legislation a matter of the first and greatest concern of Congress," he said.

"The States are not prepared to take care of these old people. The small allowances in the States in the first instance, is not sufficient, and, in the second place the funds in these States have been exhausted in a large measure."

Capper Backs Roosevelt.

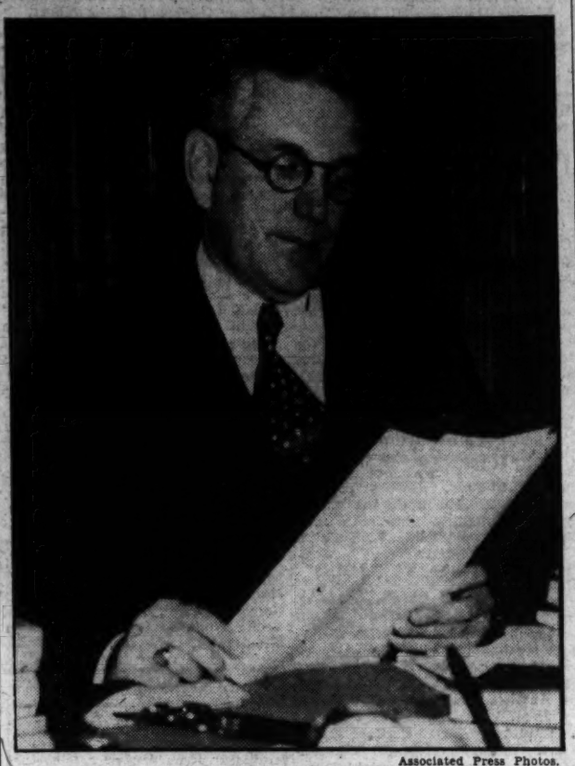
Borah said reduction of the Federal relief rolls "is a strong argument in favor of the Townsend plan." Under this plan everyone over 65 would receive $200 a month, provided he spent the entire amount within a month.

"And while the relief roll is being cut 20 per cent," Borah said, "I assume that the administrative pay roll will be cut at least 40 per cent. I take it this is being arranged."

Senator Arthur Capper (Republican), of Kansas, returned to Washington with the statement that he will continue to support the President. He said the people are inclined to "go along another year and see what happens."

"I will not be an obstructionist," he said. "The President has a program and no one else has."

Senator Capper reported noticeable improvement in business in the West.



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COL. EDWARD HALSEY, secretary of the Senate, at his desk yesteday preparing for the new session.

Staunton Defers Exercises On 78th Birthday of Wilson

Usual Anniversary Rites to Take Place in Mid-January.

Staunton, Va., Dec. 28 (AP).—Today was the seventy-eighth anniversary of the birth of Woodrow Wilson, but his eulogy will not be voiced in Staunton, the place of his birth, until mid-January.

The usual Staunton anniversary ceremony was postponed this year because men prominent in the Nation's life who have been invited to participate were unable to come today for the unveiling of a portrait of the twenty-eighth President by Graham Cootes, another native of Staunton, and a nationally known artist.

Scotch Background.

Wilson was born here December 28, 1856, the son of the Rev. Joseph Ruggles Wilson, a Presbyterian minister, then serving the First Church, Staunton, and Janet Woodrow, daughter of a Scotch Presbyterian minister, and grandson of James Wilson, a Presbyterian, of Ulster, Ireland, who settled in Philadelphia in 1807.

The birthplace of the World War President was the manse of the First Presbyterian congregation. The family lived here two years after Woodrow Wilson's birth, and then moved South.

Wilson returned to Virginia to study law at the State University. Later he became president of Princeton, and then Governor of New Jersey. He was elected President of the United States in 1912. As President-elect, Staunton honored him at a home-coming celebration on his birthday anniversary that year. He was reelected President in 1916. After a long illness, the former President died in Washington, February 3, 1924.

Widow to Attend.

His widow, the former Edith Bolling, of Wytheville, Va., is expected to be present at the January ceremony.

The Wilson birthplace now is the property of Mary Baldwin College, the institution having acquired it when the First Presbyterian Church decided to sell when it became no longer desirable for manse purposes, largely because so many people called to see the room where Wilson was born.

The college will turn the property over to a permanent committee or foundation when plans have been consummated whereby it will become a national shrine. It now is open to the public.

Much is yet to be done in interior and exterior restoration, but during the past year one phase of the restoration has been practically completed. This is in connection with the grounds and inclosure. The Garden Club of Virginia has invested $5,000 in the grounds.

Motorcycle Rider Thrown Into Fence As He Strikes Rut

Waynesboro, Pa., Dec. 28 (Spl.). Adolph Cloud, this city, was recovering tonight from injuries received when he lost control of the motorcycle he was riding and was catapulted into a hedge fence.

The riderless cycle continued through the hedge at the Gearhart Apartments at Potomac and Fifth streets here and came to a stop against the wall of the building. Cloud was severely injured. He is confined to the hospital here.

The cycle struck a rut, eye-witnesses said, causing Cloud to lose control of the vehicle.

Bank Fights 2 Million Tax Asked on Reynolds' Wealth

North Carolina Not Entitled to Inheritance Levy as Property Was Never Transferred From Maryland, Says Trustee; Value of Estate Boosted.

Winston Salem, N. C., Dec. 28 (AP). Baby Christopher Smith Reynolds' plea for the entire estate of his father, the late Smith Reynolds, and North Carolina's demand for an inheritance tax, were opposed by the Safe Deposit and Trust Co., of Baltimore, trustee of the estate, in Forsyth Superior Court late today.

In its response to the interpleas of the State and of Reynolds' posthumous son, born to Libby Holman Reynolds, the Baltimore trustee revealed that young Reynolds' share of his father's estate was valued at $19,500,000 in 1932, the year when the youth died of a bullet wound after a gay birthday party at the family home near here.

The document did not revela the amount of the youth's inheritance from his mother, also held in trust by the Baltimore bank, but it is generally understood to be in the millions. The 1932 valuation was made when Reynolds tobacco stock, making up the bulk of the trust, was selling for around 30 as against 50 today.

The entire estate, usually estimated at $25,000,000, but apparently considerably more, judging from the 1932 figures, was asked by the infant Christopher Reynolds on the ground that Smith Reynolds' first wife, the former Anne Cannon, and their daughter, Anne, had renounced all claims to the fortune as a preliminary to the Reno divorce Anne obtained in 1931.

Only yesterday, however, Christopher's attorney filed an acceptance of a proposal by the Reynolds family that the estate be divided among the two children and Reynolds' brothers and sisters, with a smaller share going to him and to his mother, then to Anne, the second.

With regard to the State demand for inheritance tax, roughly estimated at $2,000,000, the Safe Deposit & Trust Co. asserted that the claim was without merit because the property was in the State of Maryland and had never been transferred to young Reynolds.

The trustee reiterated a contention previously filed that the courts of Maryland should decide upon disposition of the trust.

Personnel Appointed For Housing Survey

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—H. Flick Wiltshire, director, has announced the complete personnel of the group that will conduct a Federal housing survey here over the next six weeks, as a FHA project, after consultation with Dr. P. M. Green, of the Washington office, who will supervise the work.

The personnel of the group here includes: Enumerators, John Licklider, John Sperow, Harry Sperow, Nat Collis, Wallace DeGrange, Allen Link, William T. Dailey, Raymond Adams, Edward Flick, Dolores Gregory, C. E. Ellis, Mrs. Eleanor Bowers, Walter Herr, Susie Jones, Ellis Taylor, Mrs. Mae Nicklas, Roy Hiett, Walter Kilmer; draftsman, William R. Downey; typist, Mrs. Helen Price Meyers; clerk, Dr. J. E. Herbert and Mrs. F. V. Aler; surveyors, R. D. Collison, Robert L. Judge, E. Monroe Janney and Downey Thompson; squad leaders, Guy H. McKee and A. C. Prettyman.

D. C. Matron Sues in Reno.

Reno, Nev., Dec. 28 (AP).—Charles E. Langley, Washington contractor, was sued for divorce by Mrs. Hazel Langley here today. She charged extreme cruelty. They married at Chevy Chase, Md., April 5, 1930.

Added Powers For D. C. Heads Sought in Bill

Prettyman Reveals Plan Which Will Go Before Congress Soon.

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dependence of the Commissioners in the past.

The purpose of the Commissioners to send the measure to Congress was made public in a statement by Mr. Prettyman, with an informal reference to an editorial in The Washington Post yesterday morning. The editorial criticized the present situation in which it was necessary for Congress to pass special bills dealing with minor administrative matters.

Draft Before D. C. Heads.

"The Commissioners," Mr. Prettyman said, "have before them for consideration a draft of a proposed bill relating to their powers in the government of the District of Columbia. The purposes of the bill are threefold, (1) to clarify and amplify the powers which they already have, but which have been given them from time to time by statute over the last 60 years, and which are therefore in many instances confused and uncertain; (2) to relieve the Commissioners from the necessity of appearing before Congress for legislation in respect to many trivial and minor matters, and thus at the same time to relieve Congress from the necessity of considering and passing upon this mass of detail; (3) to make the Commissioners in fact the governmental executives of the District.

"While theoretically the Commissioners are the governors of the District, in fact they could hardly be called such. They have no power, for example, over the jails, public institutions of charity, public hospitals, public schools, many of the parks and playgrounds, and some streets; in fact, there are a few instances in which they have no power over officials within the District of Columbia. In practice this causes confusion. As a matter of government the dissipation of executive power is unsound. Legislative power should be upon a broad base, but executive power should be concentrated.

Modeled on State Statutes.

"In form the bill is modeled upon the best in the State statutes relating to powers of municipalities, particularly the statutes of Utah and Illinois.

"The bill deals specifically with finances, taxes, highways, traffic, licensing of businesses, etc. The present draft then contains a general clause providing that the Commissioners may direct or prohibit action by any official, committee, commission, board or other agency financed in whole or in part from District revenues, whenever in their judgment such direction or prohibition is advisable in the public interest.

"The bill does not effect any reorganization of the District Government but relates directly and solely to the powers of the Commissioners. It would leave the existing boards, such as the School Board, Board of Public Welfare, Parole Board, etc., as the active administrative agencies in control in their respective fields just as at present, but with a reserve emergency power lodged in the Commissioners for exercise whenever in their judgment such action is advisable. As a matter of practice such power might be seldom exercised; as a matter of responsibility it would always be present. It would not be available as a matter of appeal by the agencies involved or by outside persons affected; it would be exercised only upon the initiative and judgment of the Commissioners themselves.

"While the Commissioners have considered and tentatively agreed upon the basic principles, they have not yet passed upon the proposed draft."

Receiver's Sale Approved.

Frederick, Md., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Judge Arthur D. Willard has signed an order in circuit court providing for the sale of office furniture and equipment of the People's Fire Insurance Co., now in the hands of a receiver. The order was signed on a petition of William C. Walsh, State insurance commissioner, who is the receiver. It authorizes him to hold a public sale January 12 and that the receipts be cash.

Rules on Price-Fixing

Associated Press Photo.

FEDERAL JUDGE MERRILL E. OTIS, of Kansas City, who held in a decision, that Congress had no power to fix prices.

CropExpansion Now Possible, Says Wallace

Heavy Surpluses Disposed of, He Tells American Statisticians.

Chicago, Dec. 28 (U.P.).—Further crop reductions are not planned for 1935, Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace tonight told the American tSatistical Association.

"Doubtless some future increase in farm prices could be obtained by further reduction of agricultural supplies, but to pursue this course at this time would surely not be in the public interest," Wallace said. "With most of the unwieldly, price-depressing surpluses disposed of the time for drastic reduction is over, and the time for controlled expansion, for continued adjustment, is here."

Prices Still Low.

Agriculture is roughly only 15 per cent under its 1929 figures in production, but 40 per cent under prices for that year, he said. Industry, however, is only 15 per cent under 1929 prices, but approximately 40 per cent off in production.

"Agriculture is more and more interested in this question of industrial production and prices because it has progressed about as far as it can in raising prices by reducing supply," he said. "In fact, our adjustment programs for 1935 call for increases in supply. Any further increase in agricultural income, we believe, depends primarily upon a substantial increase in industrial production, which in turn means higher consumer purchasing power and greater national income."

Wallace "would speed the day" when farmers could afford to produce more nearly at capacity. He said, however, this could not happen until there is a better balance between agricultural and industrial prices and production.

Economic Structure "Half Putty"

Our economic structure, he said was "half of putty, half of steel." He pointed out that when a depression came industrialists cut down production and maintained prices while farmers maintained production and prices fell.

Wallace said many industries could show a profit in 1935 only by lowering prices, increasing sales volume, and thereby reducing the overhead costs per unit. He explained that industrial products unlike agricultural ones, tend to bring greater gross returns for larger volumes. Farmers on the other hand receive higher prices for restricted volume, he said.

A. F. L. Attacks Chamber Plan For NRA Set-up

Some Industrial, Recovery Leaders Join Lewis in Criticism.

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whether an NRA built on the chamber's suggestions would work.

Questioned by Officials.

Some recovery officials, too, were said to question the practicability of the program, although they declined to discuss it for publication.

One prominent industrial leader here, also refusing to be quoted, pointed to the bituminous coal industry's situation in discussing the chamber's program.

In the first place, he said, the coal industry never would have had a code, if code making had been left to the industry, as the chamber proposes. Interests were so divergent and competition so keen in this enterprise, he said, that an agreed code would have been impossible.

Silent on Court Ruling.

Only in industries with comparatively few units, such as steel and automobiles, he said, would agreements be possible.

NRA officials yesterday had nothing further to say about a Kansas City Federal Court decision ruling price fixing unconstitutional.

Mrs. Humphrey Buried.

Hound Hill, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Funeral services were held today for Mrs. William Humphrey, jr., 40, who died Wednesday of paralysis. She was a native of Washington, a member of Epiphany Episcopal Church.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two sisters, the Misses Rebecca and Maria Kite, of Washington.

Furnace Explodes In Building Here

Janitor Has Narrow Escape. Damage Is Slight.

Seventy persons were driven from the Donohoe Chevrolet Motor Co., 1620 M street northwest, and Richard Burrows, of the 1200 block H street northwest, a janitor, narrowly escaped injury when an automatic furnace exploded yesterday. Only slight damage resulted.

Burrows was standing beside a tile partition next to the basement staircase when the wall collapsed. Although he was covered with soot and grime, he was not hurt.

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Irene Dunne, Star of "Sweet Adeline," Answers the Phone and a Few Questions

Reveals Facts Of Her Career Over the Wire

Talks From West Coast; Solons to Attend Fox; About Showshops.

Reprinted From Yesterday's Last Edition.

By Nelson B. Bell.

So at 10:30 last night I kept my appointment with Irene Dunne, star of "Sweet Adeline," opening today on the screen at Warner Brothers' Earle Theater.

IRENE DUNNE.

That is to say, at 10:30 last night, flanked by Frank La Falce, "Bill" Ewing, "Cotton" Crouch, Nat Glasser and others of the Warner executive staff in Washington, I took possession of Zone Manager John J. Payette's office in the Earle Theater Building, where everything is nice and quiet at that comparatively early-late hour, and, ensconcing myself comfortably in the seats of the mighty, held delightful converse with Miss Dunne in Hollywood over long-distance for a full quarter-hour.

Of course, the whole thing was prearranged, as hinted in this space these past few days. Questions had been prepared and air-mailed ahead to Miss Dunne so she would know what to expect and be prepared to answer—all of which proved a very elegant mess of lost motion, for I proceeded at once, as is my wont when interviewing, to forget all about the questions, and so did "Sweet Adeline."

So, as it turned out, the conversation went something like this, I being the question, Miss Dunne the answer:

The Catechism.

Question: Hello, Miss Dunne? Yes, of The Washington Post. Before we really begin, may I express the hope that you are enjoying a reasonably perfect Yuletide, free from very many such annoyances as this?

Answer: You are very kind. Yes, I am having a very happy holiday season. The weather out here is perfect and everything, really, is very charming. How is it in Washington? I haven't been there since I played in "Show Boat." That is the only time I ever was there, in fact, but I hope to come back some day.

Q. It is perfect here, too, Miss Dunne, except that our temperature is probably a little more low down than yours is. And you have practically answered section (c) of question No. 2. I mean about playing in Washington. Because your first pictures were dramatic, the impression largely prevails that your early stage training was in serious drama. That is not true, is it?

A. No, I have never appeared on the stage in a dramatic play or a dramatic part. My stage experience was entirely in musicals. But the musicals were instrumental in bringing me to the screen. It was when I was playing in Chicago in "Show Boat" that the picture scouts thought I might do for "Cimarron." You see Edna Ferber was the author of "Cimarron" and she also had written the book on which "Show Boat" was based. That was a factor that had something to do, I think, with my finally being chosen for the role of Sabra Cravat. After that, by odd coincidence, my screen roles for quite a time were exclusively dramatic, just as my stage parts, without exception, had been musical.

Q. That is very interesting. And now to get back to question No. 1 on the abandoned list, we have heard that you were trained to become a school teacher, instead of an actress. Is that correct?

Passed as School Teacher.

A. Yes, that is true. I studied to be a teacher and passed the State board examination in Indianapolis, Ind. Not only did I pass but I received an appointment to teach the young idea—very young—how to shoot in East Chicago. On my way to accept this post, I stopped off in Chicago and discovered that auditions were being held for scholarships in the Chicago College of Music. On the spur of the moment, I entered the competition, won a scholarship and never got to East Chicago. As a matter of fact, I have never seen the place to this day.

Q. Speaking of Indianapolis and East Chicago—which, of course, happens to be in Indiana—are you a Hoosier, because I am and you are at the moment speaking practically of my own back yard.

A. I almost feel that I am, but I really was born in Louisville, Ky. All of my family, though, have lived in Madison, Ind., ever since I can remember.

Q: Reverting to "Show Boat," we have recently published that you are to do a new film of that Ziegfeld triumph, with Charlie Winninger and other members of the original cast. Is that the fact?

To Remake "Show Boat."

A: Yes, Universal is going to remake "Show Boat" in another month or two, and both Mr. Winninger and I will be in it. I think Edna May Oliver and others of the original cast also have been secured. It may not have occurred to you, but having been loaned to Warner Brothers for "Sweet Adeline," being busy now at RKO-Radio, my home lot, on "Roberta," with Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers in the cast, and with "Show Boat" in prospect for my next picture, I am living, breathing, eating and sleeping Jerome Kern music. He wrote them all, you know, and I have had, or will have had, the three in a row.

Q: Having had so many dramatic parts on the screen in the beginning and now so many musical assignments in quick succession, which do you honestly prefer?

A: I enjoy them both. If I could have my choice, I should alternate serious dramatic parts and roles in musical comedy or operetta. The musicals exert a quick and wide appeal, but I believe an intensely dramatic vehicle, like "Cimarron," "Back Street" or "Ann Vickers" enables one to get much closer to her public. Such things penetrate considerably beneath the surface.

Q: And how about grand opera? Do you entertain any serious ambition to become an operatic star at the Metropolitan, Covent Garden, La Scala or any other celebrated opera house?

No Grand Opera.

A: Honestly and emphatically not. Grand opera has never entered into my thoughts as a possible career and does not now. I love the life of a picture star, enjoy my associations and my work and, if I can continue to get the right roles, am thoroughly satisfied and contented with my lot just where I am.

Q: And now isn't there some likelihood that Washington may look forward to a personal appearance of Miss Irene Dunne on some one of its stages some time in the not too distant future?

A. I sincerely hope so. As I told you, my only visit to Washington was when I was there in "Show Boat." I have always wanted to go back. Perhaps some time soon it can be arranged. I have always regretted having been the only one of the principals who could not be present in Washington for the wonderful premiere of "Cimarron" at the RKO-Keith Theater, when Richard Dix, Estelle Taylor, Wesley Ruggles, the director, and all the rest were there. The only thing that kept me away was that I was in the midst of my second picture and simply had to stay put.

Q. We missed you probably more than you missed us. And now, Miss Dunne, may I wish you every happiness and every good thing you possibly can wish for yourself in the New Year? You have been very patient and extremely gracious. Thank you very, very much.

A. You are very kind, Mr. Bell. And may I wish you the same. You evidently are one interviewer that doesn't believe in sticking to a list of conventional questions. It has been awfully pleasant. Good-by.

And it was not Miss Dunne's "stand-in" with whom I was conversing, either. The voice was the same charming voice you have heard so often from the screen, and it came through from Hollywood as clearly as if it had been a local call. Will the C. & P. Telephone Co. please note and rebate my last bill? They will not!

Film Folk Know Where to Look for News

When the Warner Brothers were producing "Sweet Adeline," the musical comedy of those "Gay Nineties," opening today at the Earle Theater with Irene Dunne starred, they wanted a representative national newspaper first page to signalize an important event in May, 1898. What more natural than that they should choose The Washington Post? Nothing. So that is what they did. The foreground dudes, left and right, are Hugh Herbert and Ned Sparks, conspicuously cast in Miss Dunne's support.

Straight From the Studios

Hospital for Mental Cases Is New Film's Background; Producers Are in Quest of a New Philo Vance; Previews and Persiflage from Hollywood.

By Edwin Schallert.

Hollywood, Dec. 27.—"Private Worlds," that unusual new film effort with a hospital for mental cases as a background, will have quite a remarkable cast when all the personages are assembled. Claudette Colbert has been signed for the feminine lead and will play the part of a psychiatrist, opposite Charles Boyer. Miss Colbert has just finished "The Gilded Lady," and was planning a vacation, but apparently now will embark on this new picture within a few weeks.

ROBERT MONTGOMERY.

Wilcoxon Retained By Paramount.

Henry Wilcoxon is all set for the time being, his Paramount contract having been continued. He has appeared in only one feature, "Cleopatra," and soon will do Richard the Lion-Hearted in "The Crusades," for Cecil B. DeMille. The latter may be a lucky venture for him as some years ago it caused Wallace Beery to achieve new acclaim on the screen.

Detective Wanted To Play Vance.

The actor to do Philo Vance on the screen is proving somewhat of a puzzle for "The Casino Murder Case" producers. This seems to be a regular problem, principally because of precedent.

William Powell started the character in the early days of the talkies in "The Canary Murder Case." He did Philo several times, then Basil Rathbone took up the task once, not too successfully, and later Warren William undertook the portrayal.

Powell would seem the logical choice now, but he has drifted far away from such characterizations in his recent activities. So Otto Kruger has been discussed and lately Paul Lukas has been tested for the part of the effete detective.

"Biography of Bachelor Girl" Previewed on Coast.

Ann Harding has the good fortune to appear in a very delightful comedy, "Biography of a Bachelor Girl." Again the star is directed by Edward H. Griffith, which seems to have its advantages, and the cast, including Robert Montgomery, Edward Everett Horton, Edward Arnold and Una Merkel, is exceedingly competent.

The story may be at fault in some forcing of the comedy but, aside from that, it is very efficiently told and is a pleasing light narrative as adapted by Anita Loos.

Both Montgomery and Horton contribute much to the humor and Miss Harding's accomplishments, in a more ebullient role than usual, are quite spontaneous. It is a high class film and will be popular. Scenic backgrounds are exceptionally good.

Film Pageant In Review.

Elissa Landi will play opposite George Raft in "The Glass Key." Work will start as soon as Raft finishes "Stolen Harmony."

Mary Pickford's novel, "The Demi-Widow," was at one time written with Grace Moore in mind and concerns an opera star. However, if it is produced on the screen with Miss Pickford as the star, the role will be changed to that of an actress.

Bette Davis is about to become a marital commuter between Hollywood and San Francisco. Harmon O. Nelson, her husband, has a long engagement for his jazz band in a night club in the northern California city.

"The Radio Mystery," a ridiculous farce in three acts, by Dana Rush and John Milton Hagan, will be presented by the Curley Club in Carroll Hall on January 17. The play will be directed by Paul Messink, formerly identified with the Ram's Head Players, in which he was associated with Josephine Hutchinson and Walter Beck. Mr. Messink also was organizer and director of the Robin Hood Players. Helen Herbeck, John Donnelly, Robert Haskins, Edna Mooreland and Ione Hayes have been cast in the principal roles.

Notables to Be Guests.

A distinguished audience will view one of the most discussed film releases of the season at Loew's Fox Theater tonight.

Although it is being bruited about that efforts have been made to have "The President Vanishes" withdrawn from public exhibition in the National Capital, no official objection has been raised to the picture's presentation on a local screen and it will, therefore, not only be screened for the edification and entertainment of the general public but tonight for an audience of distinguished invitied guests of the theater management, as well.

The members of the President's Cabinet, Congressional leaders of both the Senate and House of Representatives, high officials of the Government departments and all branches of the armed forces of the United States have been extended invitations to be the honored guests of Loew's Fox at tonight's last performance.

Theme Is Sensational.

More daring, more sensational and more thrilling than "Gabriel Over the White House" — which seemed to assume the premise that a blow on the head might be a benefit to certain chief executives —"The President Vanishes" treats of a theme founded on a national crisis of such vital importance that the President sees fit to shut himself off from the world and cause the rumor to be broadcast that he has been kidnaped.

By this device he swings public sentiment preponderantly in his favor, averts the disaster that faces the country and emerges heroic from a position of dire potentialities.

The picture handles certain aspects of present-day living without gloves and is said to possess the rare merit of being frank without being either disrespectful to American institutions that are most cherished or deliberately vicious toward any person or group—other than those who carry on subterranean and seditious enterprises aimed at the welfare of the United States and its people.

"The President Vanishes" may be so highly imaginative that the author really did not dare sign his name to it, but it will not be found a dramatic soporific.

Today is the day when all of Washington's bona fide Adelines will have an opportunity to enjoy the quaint comedy and lilting melodies of "Sweet Adeline" at the Earle Theater. With presentations of this resurrection of the customs, costumes and conceits of the "Gay Nineties," beginning at 10 o'clock this morning, a long day is afforded for those named "Adeline" to present themselves at the theater and walk in free of charge. That is all that is necessary—merely establish the fact that your name actually is Adeline and the Earle will be your host. One suspects that anyone of the masculine gender will find it a little tough trying to mooch a free peek at the filium!

We Receive a Letter.

The postman, who has had trouble enough lately, goodness and Santa Claus know, deposits the following interesting letter from a lad who knows his theater, under date line as of December 26, 1934:

Dear Nelson: The presence in town of one Jerome David Kern musical play, "Music in the Air," and the coming in a day or two of another, "Sweet Adeline," stirs my attention, particularly when a few of the critical gentry when previewing the "Adeline" piece stated that Mr. Kern wrote two new numbers for the screen production of the play.

The two numbers in question, "Lonely Feet" and "We Were So Young," happen to be from Mr. Kern's English musical play, "Three Sisters." It was produced this past spring, during Easter week, at the Drury Lane Theater in London. It had a brief run of about six weeks, closing after Kern returned to this country quite ill. Oscar Hammerstein 2d was his collaborator on "Three Sisters."

This song-shifting practice reminds me that once before Kern turned the music of a play that had failed over to a play that succeeded.

About 14 or 15 years ago, he did the score for a musical version of "Brewster's Millions." The show opened here at Poli's as "Zip! Goes a Million!" The Dolly Sisters were in it. So were Marie Carroll and, I think, Harry Richman. Guy Bolton and B. G. DeSylva had a hand in the piece. The show failed and no one remembered a single tune from it.

Several years later when Marilyn Miller appeared in "Sally," the "Million" score—a dozen numbers—appeared in the Miller production and most of them were big hits, i. e., "The Whippoorwill Song," "Look for the Silver Lining" and others.

What didn't go yesterday, goes today. (Signed) FRANK BAER.

Thanks, Frank. That is very interesting. How's about writing me another one, say, about two days after New Year's, if you get the idea?

Lost-and-Found Note.

At last we have got on the scent of Etheldreda & Oscar, the old roadside acrobats who used to make all their jumps in a Ford. Oscar is being featured in a one-ring circus and Etheldreda is breaking in a troupe of trained insects, something like a flea circus.

And some of us have the nerve to complain about hard times!

Pretty soft, this living in a house, instead of an animal tent on an open lot!

Nonchalant Bear Pays Price

Hunter Bags 250-Pound Bruin That Unconcernedly Strays Into Path as Companions Vainly Chase Another Animal.

Harrisonburg, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Stanley Helbert, local hotel man, enjoyed a great stroke of bear hunting luck yesterday when he bagged a 250-pound bruin which strayed across his path while the other members of the Spring Creek Hunt Club and their dogs were chasing another bear.

As a result of his good fortune, Helbert was eligible to take the hide of the bear he killed. Ordinarily, the owner of the dogs gets the hide and the meat is divided among members of the party.

Veteran bear hunters say that the luck of Helbert seldom is enjoyed in a lifetime at the sport. Ordinarily, the yelping of the hounds scares away all the bear in the vicinity and the only hope of the man on his "stand" is a chance to shoot at the bear being chased. In Helbert's case, the bear apparently was on its way down the mountainside and was not concerned about the chase after one of its fellows.

Incidentally, hunters who seek wild turkeys and pheasants in the mountains say that the commotion created by the bear hunters and their dogs is driving all of the fowl out of their native haunts. They say that not more than 50 sportsmen are interested in bear hunting in the nearby ranges and these few destroy the sport of the others.

Virginia Prepares 450,000 Auto Tags

Large Increase Is Seen in Number of Owners.

Richmond, Dec. 28 (Spl.).—The State prison metal shop is providing 450,000 automobile tags for the new automobile license year beginning April 1, it was learned today.

License tags of all types used through December 1, this year, totaled 361,000.

Private automobile licenses this year are about 35,000 ahead of last year, and preparation is being made for a still greater increase next year.

Police Chief Draws 5 Years in Slaying

Clarksburg, W. Va., Dec. 27 (Spl.).—Convicted by a jury in the Harrison County criminal court of manslaughter in connection with the slaying of William W. Wilson, FERA worker of Quiet Dell, Frank Corbin, police chief of Lumberport, has been sentenced to five years in the Moundsville Penitentiary. A 60-day suspension has been granted to allow an appeal.

The tragedy occurred when Mrs. Enoch Longenetta called Corbin to her home to arrest Wilson who, she said, was drunk and threatening to kill her. Wilson was shot to death in the kitchen. Corbin pleaded self-defense. The State introduced evidence alleging that both men were friendly with Mrs. Longenetta.

Titus Nursery Co. Files Suit for Dissolution

Waynesboro, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Suit for dissolution of the partnership known as the Titus Nursery Co. of Waynesboro, has been filed in Augusta County Circuit Court by J. M. Perry and C. G. Quesenbery, attorneys, on behalf of G. N. Titus. The Titus Nursery Co. has been operating as a partnership composed of Mr. Titus, E. M. Quillen and J. M. Darnell for nearly 15 years.

The Titus Nursery, which operates a branch in Baltimore, is one of the largest nurseries in the South. No financial difficulties are involved in the suit, it was stated here, with two companies belived to be the probable result of the action.

Dixie Bus Line Plea Denied at Richmond

Richmond, Va., Dec. 28 (AP).—A motion by the Dixie Bus Lines for suspension of the order revoking two passenger bus certificates of the company was denied today by the State corporation commission. The certificates were revoked for alleged failure to maintain adequate equipment and service.

The commission also denied a petition of the Peninsula Transit Co. for a tax refund on extra charges added to fares for ferry or toll bridge crossings. The commission ruled that such collections are taxable as a part of the company's gross receipts.

Officers Are Installed By Thompson Lodge

Round Hill, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Thompson Lodge, A. F. and A. M., at its annual meeting installed C. J. Ford as worshipful master.

Other officers insalled include Rodney W. Davis, senior warden; Theodore Reid, junior warden; J. Holmes Thomas, senior deacon; Carroll Dorrell, junior deacon; E. Fred James, secretary, and Owen Thomas, jr., treasurer.

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Washington's "Federal-worker-town" is a vast domain, as any job-hunter who has tramped from office to office and from department to department will assure you. It is bounded on the north by the Bureau of Standards, on the south by the Bureau of Engraving, on the west by the War Department, and on the east by a long line of people trying to get a letter from their congressmen. In between, there are the NRA, the Treasury, the AAA, the HOLC, the Commerce Department and hundreds of others. The stranger has to be equipped with compass and contour map to find his way about.

But we have a man on the staff of The Washington Post who knows more about those various Government departments than Dr. Allan Roy Dafoe knows about quintuplets, and who is acquainted with more Government workers than Emil Hurja. This bright young man is Morgan Baker, whose column, "The Federal Diary," you very probably read every morning. If you're a Federal employe, you read it to find out what's happening in the other bureaus, and if you aren't on the Government payroll, you read it to find out about your friends who knew Jim Farley when.

GOVERNMENT WORKER BREAKFAST

Baker's "Federal Diary" is one of the most popular features in The Washington Post, and to thousands of Government workers, breakfast isn't breakfast if The Post, carefully folded to "The Federal Diary," isn't beside the coffee. They read his column to find news of particular interestt to them, whether it's the list of employes to be transferred (under the Economy Act, they can't be promoted, so they are transferred) or the approaching marriage of Miss Susie Brown, who pounds a typewriter in the Erosion Service. Members of Federal employes' organizations are especially interested in his reports, since he gives full coverage of all organization activies.

Morgan Baker, literally, is the friend of thousands in Government service. If you mention a department, he'll tell you the first name of the section chief, and he knows hundreds of workers in the lower brackets. He's such a popular man that it was necessary to establish visiting hours in order to give him time to write "The Federal Diary." From noon until 1 p. m., and from 4:30 to 6 p. m., he meets dozens of Federal workers who call to find about a mutual friend, to leave "tips" on stories, or just to say "Hello." Morgan, who is a Su'th'ner from Birmingham, likes company, however, and these visiting hours are the brightest spots in his day.

If you are a Federal employe, or if you'd like to learn about your friend, Joe Zilch, in the NRA, we suggest that you read "The Federal Diary" each morning. You'll find all the news from the Federal bureaus there, and if your name is mentioned with a little (F) (P) or (C) tacked to it, you'll be Baker's guest at one of Loew's Washington theaters. "The Federal Diary" is found each morning in

The Washington Post

Mrs. Roosevelt Denies Talking On Debs Radio

And Says Family Considers Her 'Best Dressed' Title a 'Grand Joke.'

Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins may speak for herself, but Mrs. Roosevelt never has accepted an invitation to broadcast over the Eugene V. Debs memorial radio station for the benefit of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, the First Lady declared during her press conference yesterday.

Mrs. Roosevelt was charged in the third printing of "The Red Network," a catalogue of Communist and Socialist sympathizers in America, with having Socialist leanings and associations and being a pacifist. The book quotes a statement from the Daily Worker, Communist organ, suggesting that the interest of Mrs. Roosevelt and the Labor Secretary in the station may have had something to do with Communication Commission recently granting the broadcasters increased power.

Mrs. Roosevelt denied she ever broadcast over the station, by invitation or otherwise, though she admitted it was hard to tell just exactly what station one was broadcasting over at luncheons and things.

Members of the White House family all think her selection as the best dressed American woman a "grand joke" and have "teased" her since the announcement was made last week, Mrs. Roosevelt said.

Vital Statistics

Births.

Floyd and Augusta Hobbs, boy.
Joseph and Jeanette Solomon, boy.
Francis and Sophia Minor, boy.
Philip and Sophie Korn, boy.
Charles and Helen Hobbs, boy.
William and Laura White, jr., boy.
John and Alice Davidson, boy.
Nathan and Molly Kirstein, girl.
Ralph and Jean Pierson, girl.
Louis and Gertrude Osiel, girl.
Edward and Helen Woods, jr., girl.
Meredith and Catherine Palmer, jr., girl.
Louis and Florence Franke, girl.
George and Eleanor Stott, girl.
Carl and Grace Goldblatt, girl.
Robert and Josephine Hutchinson, girl.
Ernest and Abbie McDevitt, boy.
Luigi and Catherine Perticari, boy.
John and Dorothy Perry, boy.
Wilbur and Dorothy Thomas, boy.
Raymond and Gertrude Brannon, girl.
Norman and Bernice Suter, girl.
John and Leona Chamberlain, girl.

Deaths.

Martha E. Crumrine, 95 yrs., 2031 Park rd. nw.
Catherine D. Coleman, 89 yrs., 2929 N st. nw.
David Ingalls, 87 yrs., Emergency Hosp.
Millicent P. Shaw, 75 yrs., 1419 R st. nw.
Isabella L. Fell, 74 yrs., Grafton Hotel.
Eleanora Hinckley, 72 yrs., 1823 16th st. nw.
Rhodia Taylor, 63 yrs., arrival Casualty Hosp.
Herbert T. Cronin, 47 yrs., 1437 Rhode Island ave. nw.
Ellen V. Fitzgerald, 46 yrs., Providence Hosp.
Samuel Deckelbaum, 43 yrs., 4700 15th st. nw.
Leroy W. Tenner, 42 yrs., 2650 Wisconsin ave. nw.
Annie V. Berry, 39 yrs., 201 E st. se.
M. Taylor Freeman, 36 yrs., 6433 8th st. nw.
Helen Harding, 4 yrs., Georgetown Hosp.
Joan P. Johnson, 23 months, 1712 West Virginia ave. ne.
Henry Coates, 74 yrs., Freedmen's Hosp.
William W. Morgan, 74 yrs., 2014 12th st. nw.
Gertrude Bell, 29 yrs., Gallinger Hosp.
Geraldine Griffith, 9 months, Children's Hosp.

Licensed to Marry.

John H. Adley, 42, 917 East Capitol street, and Marguerite E. Van Meter, 38, Swinsdale, Pa. The Rev. H. F. Downs.
Joseph Ira Beach, 23, 922 C street southwest, and Margaret Ellen Hardesty, 20, 917 Maryland avenue southwest. The Rev. Francis Yarnall.
Henry B. Candee, 28, 1800 Potomac avenue southeast, and Mary Helen Williams, 22, 75 Seventeenth street northeast. The Rev. F. E. Hyland.
Henry Carson Willis, 25, Anacostia, and Angelene Karkowski, 20, 5 New York avenue northwest. The Rev. J. T. Fink.
James Edward Havill, 21, 520 E street northeast, and Mary Louise Ensley, 18, Everett, Pa.
Kenath Cyril Ivimey, 24, 1236 Euclid street northwest, and Katherine Ballin, 26, Montgomery, Ala. The Rev. Thomas Hutchinson.

Nation's Winter Mecca Gets Into Swing

Fashionable America is descending on Lake Placid, N. Y., center of winter sports. Here are the Misses Mabel Howell, Peggy Lanham and Barbara Crum, all of New York State, ready for skiing.

Gertrude Stein Finds Capital 'Isn't a Town'

After 31 years in foreign lands, Gertrude Stein has come to the conclusion that America, the land of her birth, is a pretty good place after all. She said so yesterday. Washington is fine, she says, but isn't representative.

"I think America is fine," she said, like that, and it seemed a little strange until you remember that those smiling brown eyes were, in effect, rediscovering her native land.

"I've been over a good part of it in the last few weeks, by air, by train and by motor. I like it. People are kind, considerate, thoughtful—there's none of the intrusion you learn to expect over there—and friendly, very friendly.

"I like to sit down and talk casually, with anyone. Casual relationships over here are delightful.

"Nothing's changed, really. Nothing in America has changed since the Civil War. I've been away a long time, is all. Of, of course, physically there have been changes, taller buildings and automobiles for horses, and all that. But nothing fundamental.

America thinks of things in their completed forms. I think that accounts for our leadership in series production. No one else in the world thinks like that."

Miss Stein likes Washington, also. She has found it beautiful. But she says it isn't a town. Toledo, for instance, is more like a town should be. There's life there even in a couple of men loafing around a corner drug store. Nothing like this in Washington, she says. Too much government here, too much isolation from the life of the Nation.

'Bravery in Line of Fire'

Oyster Found Attached to Hand Grenade Hangs on as Missile Is Exploded; Warning Is Issued for Maryland Fishermen.

Aberdeen, Md., Dec. 28 (AP).—The big, bold oyster which attached itself to a hand grenade at the bottom of the Chesapeake Bay underwent its own "munitions probe" today—and is still hanging on, even though the grenade has exploded.

Army experts at the Aberdeen proving grounds here heated the hand bomb sufficiently to cause the fulminated mercury detonating cap to explode—but the oyster, scorched and blackened, maintained its grip on the metal casing.

Capt. J. M. Walters, Third Corps Area ordnance officer, said the examination indicated the grenade was a practice weapon and apparently contained no dangerous explosive.

He issued a warning, however, to oystermen who dredge up any more of the missiles:

"It is necessary, in the interests of safety, that persons do not handle these grenades. If the detonating cap has become unscrewed, it is sensitive, and the slightest jar may cause an explosion powerful enough to blow off a hand.

"We are asking that any more such oysters be reported to us at once."

Two batches of grenades have been dredged up in different sections of the Chesapeake Bay in recent weeks. Officers are at a loss to explain their origin.

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News Briefs of Maryland

By the Associated Press.

Frostburg—Marx Anderson, 70-year-old resident of Grahamtown, Md., is in the Miners' Hospital here in a serious condition from exposure and a fractured hip. Anderson slipped on the ice in the yard of his home early Wednesday morning, and lay for more than an hour before his cries for help were heard by neighbors. He was drenched with rain while lying helpless on the ground.

Hagerstown—County Treasurer John G. Bower has another indication of what he believes is returning prosperity. To date, he has collected nearly 600 more automobile accounts than were collected at this time last year. Delinquent taxpayers have until December 31 to pay outstanding taxes.

Frederick—Lights from power generated by the new 360-horse power engine in the city power plant here shone for the first time this week. During the period when the old machine was being replaced, city lights operated on current furnished by the Potomac Edison Power Co.

Salisbury—Mrs. T. J. Caruthers, president of the Wicomico County Woman's Club, has announced the engagement of Burton Holmes, well-known travel lecturer, to speak here January 8 under the club's auspices. Holmes will discuss Soviet affairs, accompanying his lecture with a showing of films in his travels in Russia.

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Mrs. Lindbergh To Aid in Trial Of Hauptmann

Flier Visits Kidnaping Scene With Jersey Prosecutors.

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money. This was between the time Dr. John F. Condon, the Lindbergh ransom emissary, paid the money and the date of the finding of the baby's body.

It also was revealed today, by a prosecuting official, that the State will charge at Hauptmann's trial that he has had in his possession in the last two years $49,600 more than his admitted source of income provided.

The official said this money would be identified by the State as the bulk of the $50,000 ransome money, paid by Dr. Condon on April 2, 1932. On the State's list of witnesses, it was said, are many auditors, accountants and others, besides the Federal investigators, New York City detectives and New Jersey State police—all of whom had a part in helping to trace the ransom bills.

Planned to Keep Secret.

In making known the fact that Mrs. Lindbergh will be called as a witness, the officials said "it is only natural that Mrs. Lindbergh, her child having been kidnaped, would like to take the witness stand and tell what she knows of the case."

The State hitherto has been reluctant to make public her expected appearance as a witness, the official said, because it did not wish "to try the case beforehand."

The plan was to announce her name as a witness next Monday or Tuesday. By waiting until that time, it was felt, the State would avoid suggesting that it was putting forth Mrs. Lindbergh to rival Mrs. Hauptmann in an appeal for public sympathy. Mrs. Hauptmann made a radio appeal on Christmas Day for her husband.

As Gale Spread Ice and Wreckage in East

A coal wharf in Boston wrecked in icy gales that blew over New England.

New Bills Lag; Only 1,700 Ready For the House

Here it is only five days before the gavel falls and members of the new House have prepared a mere 1,700 bills for introduction the opening day, the Associated Press said yesterday.

The measures are coming in at the rate of 200 a day, however, and by January 3 will approach much nearer the opening day total of the last Congress, which was 2,820.

Veterans point out there are more newcomers than usual this year, and they aren't quite familiar with the practice of introducing bills.

'Good-Will Book' For Col. Ahern

Sitting Bull's Ex-Aid Will Be Honored Today.

On the occasion of his seventy-fifth birthday, Col. George Ahern, once private secretary to the famous Indian chief, Sitting Bull, will be presented today with a book of good-will messages from friends throughout the country. The book will be presented at 11:30 a. m. by F. A. Silcox, chief of the Forest Service of the Department of Agriculture, in Col. Ahern's home, 1760 Euclid street northwest.

A pioneer forester, Col. Ahern founded and taught the first forestry course ever to be established in the United States, at Montana Agricultural College. He is a graduate of Yale in law and was at one time head of the Philippine forest service. He is the author of two books, "Deforested America" and "Forest Bankruptcy in America."

During the Spanish-American War he was decorated for bravery and was secretary of the Army War College in the World War. He was graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1882, and at that time appointed secretary to Sitting Bull.

Sir Wilmott Lewis Town Hall Speaker

King, Bloom, O'Brien Also to Be Heard Sunday

Sir Willmott Lewis, Washington correspondent of the London Times, will be the principal speaker at the Town Hall meeting at a p. m. Sunday, at the Shoreham oHtel. He will speak on the subject, "An Englishman Looke at America."

Sir Willmott was knighted by King George V of England for his work as a newspaper correspondent in the United States. He has served his newspaper in Washington for many years.

Also on the program will be Senator William H. King, of Utah, and Representative Sol Bloom, of New York; Robert Lincoln O'Brien, chairman of the Tariff Commission, and J. Gould Lincoln, of the Washington Evening Star.

Sir Willmott will discuss recovery from the depression in America and in England and will compare the methods adopted by the two countries.

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District Indicts 2 Revenue Aids In 'Tax Fraud'

Experts Also Accused With Hardgrove, Nelson; Wires 'Tapped.'

Accused of conspiring to defraud the United States Government, John W. Hardgrove, assistant chief conferee, and Henning Nelson, auditor, of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, and Frank McElhill and Richard Callahan, New York tax consultants, were indicted yesterday by the District grand jury.

To obtain the information necessary to procure the indictments, the Government, it was revealed, resorted to almost a score of "wire tappings." In the alleged conspiracy there were 21 overt acts listed as making up a portion of the conspiracy.

The indictment charges that from their point of vantage in the Treasury Department, where they had knowledge of "doubtful cases," Hardgrove and Nelson learned of instances in which refunds might result. In the case in which they were indicted they were alleged to have communicated this information to Thomas N. McCarter, millionaire New Jersey public utilities magnate, who then had a tax case before the bureau.

Told Experts, Charge.

The indictment alleges that information concerning the case was transmitted to the tax consultants, who then approached McCarter by telephone. Mos tof the "overt acts" set forth in the indictment were grouped about telephone calls emanating from New York, New Jersey and Washington.

McCarter claimed a tax exemption of $313,000 in his 1932 income tax returns. Part of the claim was based on the assertion htat he had assumed a debt of his son. There was an additional dispute involving $149,000 for the year.

McElhill and Callahan, it was charged, approached McCarter, who took up the matter with Secretary of the Treasury Morgnethau.

Two Are Discharged.

McCarter was asked to assist the Treasury in gathering further information. He and Elmer Irey, chief of the Intelligence Unit of the Treasury, went into additional conferences with the consultants.

As an immediate result of the disclosures, the Treasury discharged Hardgrove and Nelson, and suspended from practice before it, the others. All of the defendants were charged with "unlawfully, wilfully knowingly and feloniously" conspiring together to defraud the United States of America by impairing, obstructing and defeating the lawful function of a department of the United States Government * * * known as the Bureau of Internal Revenue, and to interfere with its lawful, orderly and usual functions."

Former United States Attorney Leo A. Rover, and William H. Collins, former chief criminal prosecutor of the United States Attorney, have been retained by "certain" of the defendants and neither Mr. Collins nor Mr. Rover would discuss who they were to represent.

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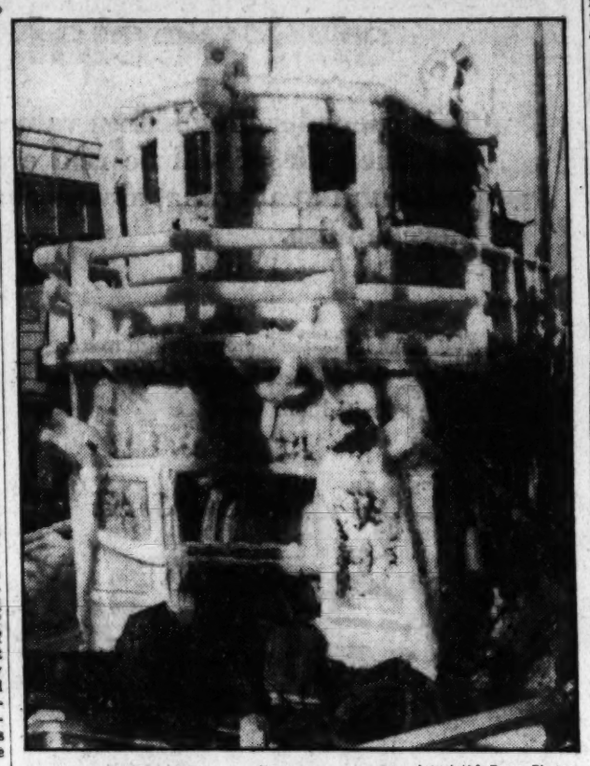

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A trawler of Boston arrives in port with a covering of ice after battling the gale off the New England coast.

Funeral Rites Held For David W. Lum

Veteran Railroad Engineer Was 79.

Funeral services for David W. Lum, 79, retired veteran chief engineer of the Southern Railway, were held yesterday at his home, 1435 Shepherd street. Burial was in Rock Creek Cemetery.

A native of Newark, N. J., Mr. Lum had been in the Washington office of the railway since 1894. He served as chief engineer from 1904 until he retired in 1931. He was a member of the American Railway Engineers Association and the American Society of Civil Engineers.

He is survived by his widow and three sons, Paul B. and David H. Lum, of Washington, and Howard M. Lum, of Rochester, N. Y.

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Einstein Gives A Simple Proof Of His Theory

Scientists Are Told of New Findings That Mass Equals Energy.

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are equivalent goes back to 1897, even before Einstein's time. As an example of its working, if you move faster, your weight increases, because of the added energy of greater motion.

At a speed of 99 per cent of the velocity of light, it has been calculated that your weight would be multiplied seven times. Human speeds are so slow that they would not add as much as a grain of sand to a man's weight.

A hot body weighs more than the same body when cool, because when hot the atoms are moving at faster speeds, or higher energy levels. Again changes of this sort are too small to be measured in practical affairs.

But developments in the last three years in science have made this mass-energy equivalence of immediate importance in investigating the nature of the nucleus of the atom.

It is from these nuclear investigations that material progress is expected. The atomic nuclei contain 99 per cent of all matter, or all solid substances of earth and its atmosphere. None of this nuclear material has been available for man's use.

New Branch of Science.

Now nuclear chemistry, a new branch of science, is just beginning to learn how this hidden 99 per cent can be tapped.

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Although scientific leaders, including Einstein, do not believe this stupendous energy can all be "unlocked" as power, some of them expect to get useful fractions of it as a result of present nuclear studies.

In these studies physicists observe that when an atomic nucleus is made to give up some of its energy, its mass or weight decreases. When energy is added, the mass goes up.

The belief in equivalence started with Sir J. J. Thomson's discovery of the electron in 1897. The mathematics which substantiated the belief came from Einstein's discovery of simple relativity in 1905.

Their accuracy was not questioned, but they were involved. Today's demonstration of a simplified proof was described by mathematicians who heard it as use of nothing but fairly simple mechanical devices to prove the law.

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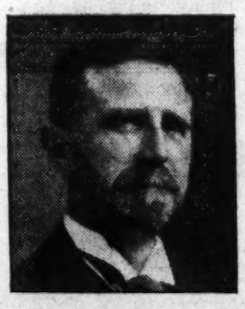

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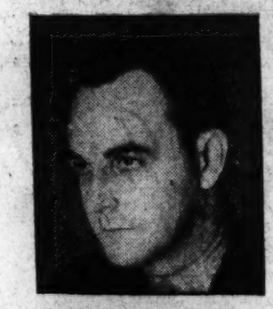

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Lorenz Slayer Of 'Empress,' Skipper Claims

Parisian, in Fear of Life, Also Killed Her Mate, Seaman Insists.

San Diego, Calif., Dec. 28 (AP).—Capt. William Borthen today advanced the theory that Baroness Eloise Bonsquet de Wagner, "empress of Charles Island," and her mate, Robert Phillipson, were killed by Alfred Lorenz, the man they allegedly persecuted in their Galapagos Eden.

Borthen is skipper of the tuna clipper Santa Amaro.

It was Capt. Borthen who last month discovered the desiccated bodies of Lorenz and another man on the black sands of Marchena Island, near Charles. They had died of thirst, but Lorenz had written in German a note found tacked to a skiff on the beach.

This note, said Capt. Borthen, evidently told the story of the tragedy but it was later lost overboard from the Santa Amaro.

"We know that Lorenz had lived in fear of his life and that he had reported in March that Phillipson and the Baroness already had dug a grave for him," Capt. Borthen said. "I am convinced that the bodies of Phillipson and the Baroness are on the island."

The report that the Baroness and Phillipson had left the island of Charles by yacht for an unknown destination in the South Seas last March was investigated recently by Capt. G. Allan Hancock, of Los Angeles, head of a scientific expedition to the Galapagos.

Capt. Hancock, in a report to the government of Ecuador, owner of the islands, said there was no trace of any vessel having left Charles Island that could have taken the Baroness and Phillipson away this year.

Lorenz, 40, came to Charles Island three years ago with the Baroness, 36, and Phillipson, 22, from Paris, where she had a gown shop. First Lorenz, ill with tuberculosis, was the baroness' favorite, then Phillipson won the upper hand with her.

Army of Germs Rode Dust Storm, Scientists Hear

Chicago, Dec. 28 (AP).—A cloud of bacteria rode along with the pall of yellow dust over the Eastern skies of North America last May when the great dust storm whipped up from the drought-baked Middle West.

The records that picked up this bacterial invasion were described to the Society of American Bacteriologists today by Bernard E. Proctor, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Western dust was collected on a series of 30 airplane flights in the vicinity of Boston. The planes were equipped with sticky plates to which bacteria would adhere.

Both bacteria and dust particles were found at all altitudes to a ceiling of 20,000 feet, beyond which the planes did not rise. The bacteria and other living micro-organisms were present in varying numbers at the lower altitudes. Dust was more voluminous than bacteria at all altitudes.

Clipper Plane Arrives At Miami for Tests

Miami, Fla., Dec. 28 (AP).—The Pan-American Airways clipper No. 5, laboratory equipped sister plane of the huge Brazillian clipper, came here today from Washington for a series of transcaribbean and transatlantic test flights.

The 19-ton clipper left Washington Naval Base at 8:52 a. m. and made the 900-mile hop to Miami non-stop. Officials said the plane is to be tested extensively from her for future transpacific service.

Housing Program Booms.

Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Harry R. Houston, associate director of the FHA in Virginia, in an effort to arouse interest in the Federal housing program declared here that the program was making excellent progress in Virginia with an average of $64,000 being expended weekly by persons improving their property.

The Federal Diary

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By Morgan Baker.

DRAFTING of the pay restoration bill was completed yesterday by the American Federation of Labor wage conference and its sponsors in the House and Senate.

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The bill calls for repeal of all provisions of the various economy measures which have the effect of reducing or limiting wages or salaries. A section is included which does not effect the Thomas amendment to last year's independent offices bill, which established the precedent of the five-day work week in Government service for approximately 50,000 mechanical employes and set their wage scale at not less than the weekly income as of June 1, 1932.

The wage conference, which is composed of A. F. of L. organizations, including Government employes, believes that this bill will solve the pay problem by eliminating all oppressive economy legislation. Another section is included which provides that nothing in the bill shall be construed as reducing any compensation.

Senator Pat McCarran (Democrat), of Nevada, is reported to have consented to introduce the bill in the Senate. The conference will request Glenn Griswold (Democrat), of Indiana, to introduce the bill in the House. Mr. Griswold, who is said to be in Indiana, will "very likely" accept the invitation to pilot the measure through the House, his secretary said last night.

Included in the delegation which conferred with Mr. McCarran after the bill was drafted were Edward J. Gainor, vice president and member of the Executive Council of the A. F. of L. and president of the National Association of Letter Carriers; M. T. Finnan, also representing the letter carriers; W. C. Hushing, legislative representative of the A. F. of L.; Frank Coleman, of the Plate Printers; E. Claude Babcock, president, the American Federation of Government Employes; N. P. Alifas, of the Machinists; W. D. Johnson, of the Order of Railway Conductors, representing the Big Four Railroad brotherhoods; W. M. Collins, Railway Mail Association, and Leo E. George and Gilbert E. Hyatt of the National Federation of Post Office Clerks.

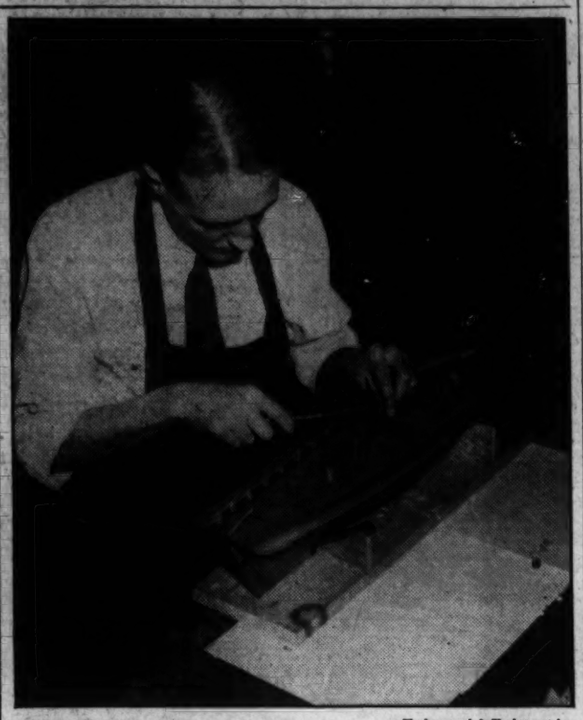
Another tooth is added to American military strength as S. S. Green (F), War, has just obtained a patent for a water-coiled gun barrel. The device is designed to hold a reserve quantity of water in front of the muzzle end of the weapon.

John S. Beach Honored.

John S. Beach, retirement expert, Civil Service Commission, who will leave the service January 1, was honored at a banquet last night by the Joint Conference on Retirement which is composed of representatives of unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Edward J. Gainor, president, National Association of Letter Carriers, was toastmaster after Robert H. Alcorn, conference chairman, called the meeting to order. Except for a few invited guests outstanding in the cause of retirement, all those attending were members of the conference including:

N. T. Finnan, Clarence S. Stimson, National Association of Letter Carriers; Leo E. George, Gilbert E. Hyatt, William Otte, John M. Torka, National Federation of Post-office Clerks; E. Claude Babcock, Esther Penn, American Federation of Government Employes; William M. Collins, Henry W. Strickland, Railway Mail Association; N. P. Alifas, Machinists; Harry H. McCall, A. T. McNamara, Bernard G. Ladd, Columbia Lodge; Fred S. Walker, Clyde M. Mills, Typographical Union; Edwin A. Eckles, Harry L. Stroh, Printing Pressmen; John H. Jaeschky, H. L. Cruman, carpenters; Harry M. Smith, James D. Sibbett, pattern makers; Robert H. Alcorn, William D. Reeves, Harry Beatty, moulders; Joseph B. Fitzpatrick, bookbinders; John A. McLean, Frank S. Kavey, electrotypers; R. B. Kelso, C. C. Gillikin, Harry Dehler, boilermakers; Thomas D. Stuart, Neil N. Graham, electrical workers.



Underwood & Underwood.

When he was a small boy, Wilford L. Dawsey's hobby was whittling odd toys and useful objects; today his youthful skill still serves a helpful purpose in his duties at the Smithsonian Institution. He is employed there as a "preparator" making lifelike models of various things from an early American steam engine to a scale model of a sailing vessel for exhibition in the U. S. National Museum. Mr. Dawsey (P), is shown here building a model of the Baltimore Clipper, which will be complete in every detail.

Federal Housing Administration, now cramped in the new Postoffice Building and the old Southern Railway Building, expects to be comfortably established in the old Justice Building at Fifteenth and K streets northwest, by January 15. Some of the units are planning to move the first week in January.

Employes at Interstate Commerce are mourning the death of F. L. Speiden, of Atlanta, chairman of the Southeastern Traffic Association. Mr. Speiden, who was also publishing agent for the Southeastern railroads, died in Baltimore yesterday after a month's illness. An expert on tariff, he was very popular at ICC.

Following the success of her Washington debut as a solo dancer, Miss Hedwig Eyle, stenographic section, Interstate Commerce Commission, is now busy in the evenings creating a program to be given next month at Fairmont School.

DR. S. F. HILDEBRAND (F), senior ichthyologist, Bureau of Fisheries, who was recently elected to honorary membership in the Panama Canal Natural History Society in recognition of his contribution to the knowledge of neotropical ichthyology, is well known for his work on Central American fishes.

Dr. Hildebrand was a member of the Smithsonian Biological Survey of the Canal Zone from 1910 to 1912, to which duty he was detailed by the bureau. After the death of Dr. Seth E. Meek, who appears as senior author, Dr. Hildebrand completed and published through the Field Museum of Natural History a volume describing about 94 species of fresh water fishes from Panama, and three volumes on marine fishes, describing some 757 species. His work has included studies in the waters around El Salvador, Costa Rica and Puerto Rico.

Miss Etta Greenblatt (P), formerly with AAA, is now a stenographer in the office of the special assistant to the director of the Soil Erosion Service.

Diary Guest Tickets.

IF (F), (P) or (C) follows your name, call in person on the Federal Diary editor. You will receive tickets to Loew's Fox (stage, Nick Lucas and other acts; screen, five stars in "The President Vanishes"); or to Loew's Palace (Joan Crawford, Clark Gable and Robert Montgomery in "Forsaking All Others"); or to Loew's Columbia (Laurel and Hardy in "Babes in Toyland").

Diary office hours are daily, except Sunday, 12 noon to 1 p. m. and from 4:30 to 6 p. m.; Saturday, 12 noon to 2:30 p. m.

RFC Postettes.

Employes at Reconstruction Finance Corporation are taking some enjoyable holiday trips. William L. White and Howard Haines motored to their home in Denton, Tex., to pass the holidays. John Colquitt accompanied them as far as his home in Magnolia, Ark. Craig McKee enjoyed the holidays with his parents in Des Moines. Mrs. Jane Kirk visited relatives in Stewart, Va., this week. Miss Leola Stahl will spend New Year Eve in Bermuda, sailing today. Miss Frances Brown is at her home in Kansas, where she will be married to LaVerne Lintner, HOLC, before returning to Washington.

Dr. Stahr to Commence Task Of Boosting Hood Enrollment

New President of College at Frederick Speaks to Club.

Frederick, Md., Dec. 28 (Spl.). Expressing a deep and increasing interest in Hood College and pledging himself to promote its continued development and welfare, Dr. Henry I. Stahr, its new president, was the speaker at the annual luncheon of the Frederick County Hood Club at the Francis Scott Key Hotel. He was also the guest of honor.

Prefacing his address with the statement that he had "limited opportunity" to function as president since July 1, due to his dual role as Hood president and executive secretary of the Board of Christian Education of the Reformed Church, Philadelphia, Dr. Stahr said he had completed his duties in Philadelphia and would now center his attention on the college and invited alumnae to call upon him and his family.

He stated that the task of increasing the enrollment of the student body will receive his special attention during the next few years. He lauded the quality of work done on the campus and expressed pride in the men and women composing the faculty. He said no marked changes in the life and character of the college are contemplated and he urged all to cooperate in continuing to build on the present foundation. The present was described as "an awful time to try to secure the wherewithal for Hood" and he urged the students, alumnae and friends to endeavor to promote her interests. The establishment of a Joseph Henry Apple Library as "the center of the life of the institution" was cited as the first thing to be done and, secondly, the completion of the college endowment fund to the minimum amount needed to meet necessary requirements. Dr. Apple, in whose honor the library is named, was one of the founders and president of the college for 41 years. He is now president emeritus.

Referring to economic conditions, Dr. Stahr said Hood College has come through well and that her books are not "in the red," which gives great promise for the future. Concluding, he said he deemed it an honor to be president of Hood College.

Officers elected were: President, Miss Katherine E. Dutrow, this city; vice president, Miss Frances Feiser, Woodsboro; secretary, Mrs. J. Walker Carty, this city; treasurer, Miss Virginia Thomas, this city, and councilor, Miss Margaret Besant, this city.

Reports were submitted by Mrs. William Powell, Walkersville, retiring president, and Mrs. Richard C. Dutrow, retiring secretary.

Angelo Martino, 40, Veteran, Is Dead Here

Angelo Martino, 40, died early yesterday at Mount Alto Veterans Hospital after a lengthy illness. He served during the World War in the Eighty-second Division from March, 1917, until March, 1919.

Mr. Martino was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion. Funeral services will be conducted Monday, with burial in Arlington Cemetery. He is survived by a son, Joseph M. Martino.

London Murderess Save From Noose by Reprieve

London, Dec. 28 (AP).—Lydia Binks, condemned to die January 3 for them urder of her child, was reprieved tonight. The home secretary's decision was conveyed to the solicitor at Durham, where Mrs. Binks was scheduled to hang.

Frederick Rushworth, 29-year-old farm hand convicted along with Mrs. Binks of burying alive their child born at York last March, was not reprieved. He is in prison at Leeds awaiting execution January 2.

Warns of Bogus Money.

Baltimore, Dec. 28 (AP).—Bart Bratton, chief agent of the United States secret service in Maryland, today issued a warning to State produce wholesalers and retailers and to operators of refreshment stands against fake $5 and $10 bills on New Year's eve.

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Christmas has come and gone and the New Year is at hand. The week between might well be called strange interlude. It is a time when festivities are the order of the day; when at least some of the presents received are being put to use; when one is loath to see the departure of a year which has ended so happily in the usual enthusiasm of holiday giving and forgiving.

This is a time, therefore, when it would be well to think of those on whom the burden of Christmas fell the hardest, and to remember them when New Year resolutions are being gravely made. In a word—shopgirls.

Much has been said about the "forgotten man." Little has been said or written about the "forgotten woman," who stands on her feet, sick or well, from nine in the morning until six in the evening, to serve the happily increasing army of buyers. The adjective "forgotten" is applied in the sense that those whom she works for and waits on are often prone to forget that she is a human being and not a machine.

In this era of New Deals, surely none is more deserving of a deeper consideration than the shopgirl. Her situation could be improved by making it customary for her to sit down when not actually waiting on customers, and by alloting a brief spell of freedom to each girl, morning and afternoon, in which she might leave the floor and rest. In the long run, renewed energy and enthusiasm should more than compensate for the time thus spent.

In drawing up New Year resolutions, then, it would be well for all merchants and patrons to head their lists with the word "shopgirls" and to remember that the machinery of commerce works more easily when the need of its minor parts for human understanding is not forgotten.

Clearing The Air.

At a time when relations between the Board of Education and the general public are not ideally happy, nothing could have cleared the air more effectively than the decision to conduct all board meetings in open session, with the exception of those dealing with matters of personnel. That this change should have been undertaken on the initiative of the board adds to the commendable aspects of the announcement.

As anyone with experience in public office will testify, there are occasions when public opinion may be irritating to responsible officials. The practice of conducting star-chamber sessions preliminary to the regular board meetings seems to have originated under such circumstances, and had prevailed ever since. But it was high time that a practice questionable in legality and psychologically undesirable should have been abolished.

Equal in importance with the fact that the Board of Education now welcomes public attendance at its meetings is the decision to provide both board members and the public at large with a schedule of agenda before each meeting.

Citizens' associations and other civic groups with direct interests in public school affairs may now be apprised of proposed discussions in advance, and prepare themselves accordingly. It is only proper that the taxpayers of Washington should be included in consideration of questions involving the annual expenditure of more than $10,000,000 and the education of some 90,000 school children.

The Longest Way Round.

A movement is said to be under way to revise section 7(a) of the Recovery Act in order to give unquestionable sanction to the principle of majority representation in collective bargaining agreements. Although acceptance of the majority principle would be a simple and thoroughly democratic solution of the issue, it would be a grave mistake to try to establish such a system by legislative fiat. Just as shortsighted, of course, would be legislation seeking to entrench company unionism at the expense of the majority rule principle.

The development of collective bargaining is a delicate procedure which can neither be safely forwarded nor safely retarded by legislation. The fact that the American Federation of Labor has recommended retention of section 7(a) of the Recovery Act in its present form indicates that the spokesmen of organized labor realize that it is better to operate under a vaguely phrased law which leaves the negotiators scope for varying interpretations, than it would be to insist upon universal acceptance of the principle of majority representation.

Furthermore, if organized labor seeks to obtain a privileged legal position it must be equally ready to surrender privileges which it enjoys as an unofficial organization. Soon or late the Government would have to attach certain conditions to recognition of the right of the organized majority to act as an exclusive bargaining agency for workers. If legal right to speak exclusively for labor is granted the A. F. of L., the legal right to strike could as logically be circumscribed.

The strength and relative permanence of concessions which are obtained through independent action are forfeited when State intervention is asked. Effective labor organizations have not been established in other countries by such means and there is no reason to suppose that the United States would prove an exception to the rule.

Incredible.

Elaborate precautions have been taken to insure the representative character of the Saar plebiscite. The fact that Germany has raised no objections to the concentration of an international policing force to maintain order in the region until the results of the voting are known is proof of her willingness to submit the issue to the uncoerced judgment of the people. The decision not to send French soldiers into the region is evidence that France, too, wishes to cooperate in assuring a peaceful election, devoid of untoward incidents that might endanger the future peace of Europe.

In view of the wisdom and restraint shown by the governments of the two countries most intimately concerned over the outcome of the plebiscite, it is shocking to learn that a campaign is now under way to influence the election returns by spreading unconfirmed reports of a second Nazi blood purge. Fake reproductions of newspapers purporting to carry accounts of recent executions are also said to be circulating in the Saar.

The Germans retort that these reports are "malicious and baseless propaganda," to which some color has been lent by recent wholesale arrests of degenerates. Certainly it is difficult to believe that the Nazi Government would be so stupid as to alienate pro-German inhabitants of the Saar by ordering wholesale executions of its enemies on the very eve of the plebiscite. The Nazis have often displayed poor judgment in trying to arouse sympathy for their cause in foreign countries. But they would hardly go so far as to assume that terrorism is an effective weapon with which to attract votes for the Saar's reunion with Germany.

These rumors of "purges" savor strongly of the atrocity tales of the war period, when the propaganda machines of all nations were spreading lies designed to arouse popular passions and justify ruthless extermination of the enemy. Abhorrent as such practices are in war time, they can be defended to some extent as necessary to make civilized men continue killing each other. But it would be destructive of the very basis of civilization to have similar methods used in times of peace, especially if the purpose is to influence the outcome of a vote which will not be decisive unless the peoples of the Saar are protected against all kinds of intimidation, mental as well as physical.

Anticlimax.

State Legislatures which undertake to ratify the proposed child labor amendment to the Constitution this winter will, in the opinion of a special committee of the American Bar Association, be wasting their time. The committee has analyzed the status of the proposed amendment from a purely legalistic viewpoint. Yet its conclusion is of more than merely technical importance.

Two arguments are advanced to show that the proposed amendment can not be legally "resurrected." Over ten years have elapsed since Congress submitted the child labor resolution to the States. In the opinion of the committee this constitutes more than a "reasonable time" within the meaning of pertinent Supreme Court decisions.

Moreover, it is pointed out that the proposed change was rejected by one or both legislative bodies in 38 States. The committee thinks that State Legislatures now serving can not, unless Congress acts again upon the measure, revoke the actions of previous Legislatures, especially when such decisions were registered with the Secretary of State.

The Bar Association expects the proposed amendment to be introduced in more than 20 State Legislatures next month. It is curious that so much interest in the measure should be aroused after much of the need for it has disappeared. Child labor has been greatly minimized, if not entirely abolished, by the NRA. Through codes of fair competition the Government has accomplished, in a relatively simple way, most of what the early proponents of this constitutional change hoped to achieve. The current drive for ratification seems largely an anticlimax of little practical importance.

No doubt sponsors of the proposed amendment fear that the gains made under the NRA are temporary. There seems to be no basis for that assumption. Public opinion almost unanimously favors abolition of child labor. If the NRA should be drastically modified, or even abolished, the ban upon exploitation of children would probably be retained. And these controls are far more in keeping with American tradition than another "prohibition" amendment in the Federal Constitution.

There is no reason to clutter the fundamental law with sumptuary amendments when the evil at which they are aimed has been largely eliminated. Sponsors of the movement to revive this obsolete proposal might better direct their energies toward the enactment of State laws bringing local statutory safeguards in line with the accomplishments already achieved by the codes.

Mr. Prettyman's Bill.

Corporation Counsel Prettyman's bill "to make the Commissioners in fact the governmental executives of the District" is one of the most constructive local measures prepared for Congress in recent years. It comes at a time when officials are preparing for congressional action a welter of petty bills covering matters which clearly should be left to the discretion of District agencies. If action on this one measure can be secured at the 1935 session, a considerable number of municipal problems will be virtually solved.

In principle the Prettyman bill is entirely valid. Patterned after the best State laws relating to municipal powers, it would centralize authority over strictly local functions in the Board of Commissioners. Mr. Prettyman's reiteration of the well-established fact that "dissipation of executive power is unsound" was scarcely essential to sustain the logic of his proposal.

There is no intention of subjecting local agencies that are now independent to domination by the Commissioners. The board would be authorized to direct or prohibit action by these agencies whenever that might be desirable in the public interest. In actual practice they would doubtless function just as they do now. The Commissioners could not consistently ask Congress for a greater degree of autonomy without applying the same principle to the semi-independent boards that would be placed under their general supervision.

It is possible that nothing would be lost by excluding the schools from the provisions of the bill. If, after impartial consideration, it is decided that the Commissioners should hold a check upon the schools, as upon all other municipal agencies, the relationship should be clearly defined to preserve the essential freedom and flexibility of the educational system. Details of this nature will require careful study. But in its broad outline, the bill is favored both by logic and practical considerations.

By-Products Of Pain.

"The night after my operation was full of torment . . . My thoughts were as dark as the night around me; the night I well knew might never come to an end . . . Suddenly a ray of light flashed from my tired brain down to my very heart . . . The fear that had haunted me so long left my tormented brain, and a wonderful stillness and peace fell over me. 'The day is breaking,' whispered the nurse."

Such in part is the letter written to the London *Times* by Dr. Axel Munthe, who has just recovered his sight through an operation which he underwent in Zurich. Dr. Munthe is known to thousands who read and loved his book, "The Story of San Michele." He might easily have retired to a life of luxury on the proceeds of this best seller, but he chose instead to use the royalties in founding a bird sanctuary in his native Sweden, where he is known as the "Modern St. Francis of Assisi."

Katharine Mansfield was another writer who tried to turn her pain into philosophy in order that others might derive benefit from it. From a sick-bed she wrote: "God forbid that another should ever live the life I have known here, and yet there are moments you know, old boy, when after a dark day there comes a sunset . . ."

The quotation "There is nothing the body suffers that the soul may not profit by" is applicable to everyone. But its scope becomes boundless when the sufferer not only profits by it, but also enriches the souls of others by passing it on in music, in art, in words.

Triangular Tommy.

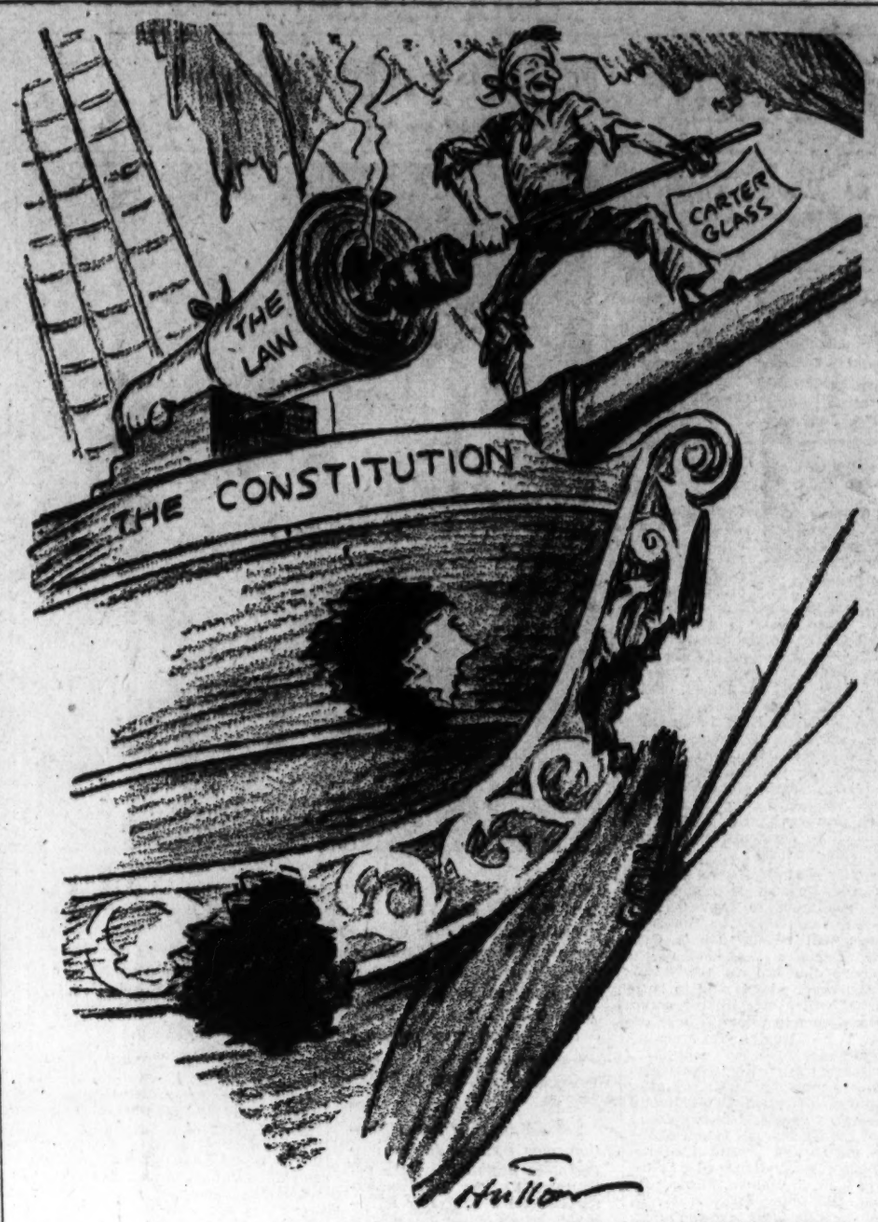
The contrast between individual and coordinated planning is brought to kindergarten level in the current report of the Mississippi Valley Committee. The kiddies will not be wildly excited over the technical issues which make up the bulk of the volume. But they should get quite a kick out of the alluring red and black diagrams which, toward the end, show how planning can push everything into its proper place.

The diagrams are composed of blocks and triangles which are being maneuvered about by little gnome-like figures. The individual planning gnomes evidently shove with a vigor equal to that of the coordinated gnomes, but whereas the latter group ultimately melds its blocks into a neat square, entitled "the objective," the former's efforts result in a deplorable jumble of irritating angles.

It is all very pretty, and Russian, and reminiscent of a cute poem for children by Carolyn Wells, entitled "Triangular Tommy," which should not be lost to memory in the stress of attaining the more abundant life. But if the chart was meant to instruct as well as to amuse it might have added graphic illustration of one not inconsiderable problem.

That is the difficulty of coordinating plans into a nice squared-off objective when the planners have only a foggy and often contradictory notion of what that objective is.

If you don't believe in Santa Claus you'd better keep quiet. The big, bad Republicans came right out and said they didn't believe in him, and just look what they didn't get!



Hutton in the Philadelphia Inquirer.
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Still Sticking By His Guns.

Letters To The Editor

The Post welcomes letters from its readers. All communications must be signed with the writer's name and address. Upon publication initials or pen names will be used if requested. Letters are subject to condensation and in no case should they exceed 250 words.

"O, Liberty, Liberty!"

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

The great legal intellectuals of the Department of Justice and the professors of new-found law, from Harvard and Columbia universities, seem to be woefully confused and confounded as to the meaning of the Constitution of the United States, in reference to the policies of the New Deal.

To them law has lost all its ancient and accustomed meaning, and their superior wisdom and consuming conceit is the dictum of all that should be desired. In other words, to them civilization has passed beyond the ignorant stage of the historic rule of law, to the sublime understanding of temporary men, a government not of established and honorable law, but of whim, caprice and personal opinion of countless pigmies in the Federal service.

Nothing illustrates better this modern truth, masked in the garb of New Deal righteousness, than the "Oil Code Case" recently heard by the Supreme Court. This case developed the fact, startling to many friends of ancient liberty, that the President, the petty officers of the code authority and countless bureaucrats were alike the makers, the juries or quasi courts and the administrators of the new law.

Under a general grant of unconstitutional legislative power to the Executive and others, they have been making law, involving the grave restriction of individual liberty, destroying vested property rights and inflicting criminal penalties, beyond any certain, definite or expressed right of appeal to courts or even higher administrative review.

The Constitution, its bill of rights, the constitutions of the States, and all American traditions of law, under such practices and theory are openly and flagrantly overruled and superseded by the arbitrary caprice of those now in Federal office. Liberty, personal liberty, the assured right of protection in our property, in our labor and in our decent independence and integrity as citizens are ruthlessly violated and despoiled in the name of justice. CHARLES B. CALVERT.

Mount Rainier, Md., Dec. 25.

He Says: "Joke Houses!"

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

Does Mr. Ickes sleep soundly these holiday nights? June 16, 1933, Congress gave him $25,000,000 to spend for subsistence homesteads. June 30, 1934, according to his annual report, he says he has promised sound and well-designed homes to 4,026 thoroughly examined and approved homesteaders. He says building had been begun on nine projects, down to June 30, 1934, that allotment of funds had been made to the amount of $16,553,970 and advances of money actually made for these 4,026 homesteaders to the total amount of $2,121,355! That was what had been done and not done in a period of ten months under Mr. Ickes' philanthropic trust from Congress.

But there are worse figures to come. It is now over 18 months since Congress placed the $25,000,000 in Mr. Ickes' hands to put a roof and four good walls over and around these thousands of forgotten fathers, mothers and children.

Down to December 1, there have been 41 projects started and 20 decided on, whose locations are not announced. To that date there has been allotted $18,019,000 and actually spent $4,647,000, and the whole number of approved homesteaders is 4,930—and doubtless more.

The latest figures show that, aside from the 50 joke houses at Reedsville, not yet sold or leased, only 41 homestead houses have actually been built and turned over to the jobless and houseless men, women and children whom Congress beneficently intended should this winter have the shelter and comfort of a real home. Over 5,000 families are disillusioned and grievously disappointed.

Is it all an empty gesture? Does the President realize that, strutting up and down the mighty corridors of Government responsibility, Mr. Ickes has wrecked the good intentions of Congress, and the execution with inefficiency, waste, and endless loss of time, money and hope?

STONEWALL JACKSON BENSON.

Silver Spring, Md., Dec. 27.

CCC Christmas.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

As a representative of the Remount Station of the United States Army in this city, I take this opportunity to express publicly our appreciation to the officers and members of the 1,398th Company, Civilian Conservation Corps, Front Royal, Va., for the Christmas entertainment extended to the members of this post, their families and the families of the civilians on duty at this station. Capt. John Lesesne DeWitt, jr., and First Lieut. Alex McC. Stewart, both of the Infantry, Reserve Corps, are on duty with the 1,398th Company.

Christmas gifts were distributed from a community Christmas tree to 130 children, all under the ages of 12 years; refreshments were served to all who attended the Christmas celebration. The officers and members of the 1,398th Company made a money donation to cover the entire cost of the celebration. The members of the Remount Station and of our civilian personnel are gratefully and deeply appreciative to the CCC organization. We realize fully well that many of the children would not have been remembered at this Christmas had it not been for their thoughtfulness.

The gifts from the CCC company were gifts from the heart—presents to the little children, many of whom could not have been remembered otherwise—and were a real representation of the true spirit of Christianity.

It is my understanding that all of the Civilian Conservation Corps organizations in the United States celebrated Christmas Day in the same magnificent manner as the one stationed here. This is so outstanding and splendid, that public approval and commendation should be shown them by every citizen of the United States.

HORRY E. SMITH.

Front Royal, Va., Dec. 26.

Credit Goes To The P. U. C.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

Recently the press has carried statements, attributed to various sources, to the effect that the threat of the development of a publicly owned power plant at the falls of the Potomac forced the Potomac Electric Power Co. to lower rates charged consumers. Such statements are incorrect, misleading, and completely ignore the work done by the Public Utilities Commission of the District of Columbia, which body alone is responsible for such lowering of power rates as has taken place here.

Briefly stated the facts are as follows: The Public Utilities Commission was created by Congress in 1913. One of its duties is to determine the values of the properties of the utilities under its jurisdiction. A further duty is to fix rates, based upon such values, rates which shall be just and reasonable.

The commission promptly commenced the work of ascertaining the value of the properties of the Potomac Electric Power Co. This was finished in 1917. However, the company, as authorized by law, appealed to the courts from the findings of value made by the commission. The case dragged along for years. Finally, in 1924, the court handed down its decree fixing the value of the company's properties at a figure, agreed to by both parties to the case, somewhere between the sum found by the commission and the larger amount claimed by the company.

Based upon this value the commission at once lowered rates throughout the District. This decree also embodied what is known as "the sliding scale arrangement," in accordance with which the commission each year since 1925 has revised the power rates and in each and every one of the years down to 1934 has brought about, by its order, a reduction in rates. One result has been that in this period, consumers have paid more than $5,000,000 less than they would have paid if the 1924 rates had remained unchanged.

Further, in 1933, the commission, of its own motion, but after another legal battle, ordered a revision of the terms of "the sliding scale," making it more equitable and, at the same time, more favorable to the consumers of power.

It is repeated that no threat of the development of a publicly owned plant ever induced the power company to lower a single one of its rates. Nothing could be further from the fact. It is to the Public Utilities Commission that credit is due for the progressive lowering of power rates in the District of Columbia, and for the comparatively very low schedule of rates now prevailing here.

MASON M. PATRICK.

Washington, Dec. 28.

The Post Impressionist

"Out Of House And Home."

Post Office, Saturday.

TERMITE termination promises to provide a pressing problem to the glad New Year of 1935. Over half a hundred corporations in America have combined to finance a compaign of research for some means to subdue the invasion.

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Otherwise known as the white ant—not being white, but assuming the color of his background—the termite, who long preceded man upon earth, for millions of years inhabited the tropics. Now he is marching into the Temperate Zone.

Within recent days, termites have devoured the better part of one of New Jersey's model high schools. They have eaten an artist's home on Long Island and a rich man's palace near Stamford, Conn. They have chewed up all the woodwork of a theater in Manhattan. The beams and the books of one of New York University's buildings they have diligently digested.

Do not rashly assume that they have jumped over the Capital City. Ships may have brought them to New York, but they travel in all directions overland. The next thing you know, they may have begun pasturing on Washington—and it will be all the same to them whether their food is the White House front porch or the files of the Congressional Record.

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There ought now to be a revival in the sales of Maurice Maeterlinck's "Life of the White Ant." Anyhow, an expert literary condenser for the Reader's Digest has done a lot to spur the demand.

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Maeterlinck pictures the return home of an Australian planter after a brief absence. Everything looks as it looked when he went away. But, no—the pictures have disappeared from behind their glass coverings. When, amazed, he sinks into a chair, it falls to bits beneath him. He clutches at the table, and the table tumbles in a heap of dust. Fearful, he taps a beam—down comes the roof.

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On St. Helena, once Napoleon's isle of exile, a couple of policemen talked under the shade of an apparently healthy tree—until one of them leaned against its mighty trunk; then it collapsed. A scientist, studying the white ants pitched camp near a termite village; his shirt was eaten off his back while he slept. The insects entered a grocery store; not only did all its exposed stock disappear—even the canned materials had no defense. The ravaging enemies rasped away the wrappings, moistened the metal and so rusted it that they could pierce it without any trouble.

They can bore through lead, and only a trained ear "can detect the sound of millions of jaws devouring the woodwork of a house and preparing its ruin. If it be the gnawing of a joist, a rafter, or a tree, they tackle it from the inside, taking care to respect the paint or bark."

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How do the termites do their destruction? Most of their workers grow powerful mandibles, the blades meeting like those of a pair of shears. How do they accomplish so much? By a laudable division of labor—there is a group of housekeepers, a group of nursemaids, in every community—and by a fecundity just about unparalleled. And what is their form of government? A highly practical system of "tyranny tempered by assassination."

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The king scarcely counts. He is a poor creature. But the queen is supreme—so long as she can keep up the population. That's her job. She lays an average of an egg a second for the four or five years of her life. During that primrose period her grateful citizens feed her, wait on her hand and foot. When, however, her reproductiveness ceases, they see that her food ceases too. She starves to death, and another matriarch reigns in her stead.

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Termites are well guarded; the termite-soldiers are the termites' pride. They reconnoiter the house or tree that is to be attacked. They control termite traffic, maintaining one-way thoroughfares during rush hours. The shock troops are the syringe termites: where the head should be, there is "a huge, wierd apparatus as heavy as the rest of its body"—a sort of bulb. Therefrom the fighters project upon their foes a paralyzing liquid.

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Obviously, those foes are man's friends and should be cultivated. The common ant is one; but, in battle with common ants, the uncommon white ants seem to have their odds on their side. The bird is better. We are told that the bird—any bird—considers the termite succulent. Besides, the termite can't fight the bird (proof against his poison) and, caught in the open, can't get away.

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Therefore, we propose that the District Commissioners enter into negotiations with the hereinbefore mentioned antitermite researchers. We propose that the Commissioners have the researchers come to Washington and aid both Washington and a termite-terrorized world. We propose that the Commissioners let the researchers have just as many of Washington's starlings as the Commissioners believe Washington is really able to spare.

New York Christmas Matter Of Statistics

Sentiment Overwhelmed As Metropolis Figures Season In Ciphers And Percentages.

By Ralph E. Renaud.
(Special Correspondence of The Post).

New York.

CHRISTMAS slides around the corner again and Virginia (millions of her) has learned whether or not there is a Santa Claus. More in anger than in sorrow, it must be recorded that the holiday season in this huge warren of a place runs to statistics rather than to sentiment, or anyway, that aspect of it which gets into the papers.

So many hundreds of thousands of Christmas trees chopped down and piled in green barrows along the West Side railroad tracks. In view of the fact that only God can make a tree this quantity destruction has always seemed an odd way of celebrating the birth of Our Lord, especially when you have to go clear up to Nova Scotia or Labrador to do it. So many millions of toys imported, dripping with the true Christian spirit of Japan. So many tons of Christmas baskets distributed—institutionally and to anonymous and purely statistical recipients. In case the Weather Bureau provides a nice, white Christmas, so and so many truckloads of snow removed by so and so many thousands of homeless ciphers.

Possibly the stores started it. You have shopping statistics fired at you for two months in advance. It begins like that new star they've located near Vega, mildly and in the fourteenth magnitude. Then it runs up gradually to a blazing intensity that knocks your eye out. But, of course, progressing only at the speed of light, news travels more slowly in the heavens. The disturbance around Vega, astronomers tell us, occurred about the fall of the Roman Empire, and here we are just learning about it. The Christmas statistical disturbance around New York started only at the beginning of November and is already at maximum candle power while we still have a day or so of December left.

If anybody is interested in it as an index of prosperity, the real patron saint of our American holidays, the New York stores did about 7 per cent better business this year than last. The storekeepers say they could easily have made this 13 per cent if it hadn't been for the local sales tax. But, then, they don't like the tax even though it is so excessively statistical.

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IT is also going to cost from 7 to 13 per cent more to celebrate the New Year in New York, what with dat ol' davil sales tax and everything. Hotel, cafe and night club reservations have run about 100 per cent over last year and that means that the proprietors of these isles of cheer intend to charge plenty. The really chi-chi places have announced a tariff of $15 a cover. Even the Central Park Casino, run at least in an avuncular sense by the city, is charging that. Modest little holes-in-the-corner may be hired for $7.50 a throw, and for those who can't afford any reservations at all there is always the freedom of the city jails. These do quite a flattering business during this period of spiritual uplift.

The statistical method of celebrating the holidays might be pursued in many ingenious ways. The number of final payment income tax returns which Uncle Sam exacts just before Christmas might invite a happy little inquiry. The tummyache statistics would bear investigation, as well as the wattage and bustage of Christmas tree lights. The number of necktie and cigar tragedies precipitated by the misguided affection of her for him would undoubtedly prove staggering.

It is manifestly impossible to give complete statistics on all these topics because of the fact that they just this minute occurred to your correspondent. But by next Christmas this intrepid compiler intends to have the fullest possible figures on every phase of the holidays—unless the New York newspapers beat him to it.

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A SEASONAL flavor clings to a discovery just made in the new $8,000,000 (statistics again!) court house in the Bronx, New York's Borough Mirabile. One of the huge murals there bears the inscription, "On Thursday, November 23, 1783, George Washington and his staff, with General Knox and Governor Clinton, were entertained at the Van Courtlandt mansion in Kingsbridge." It shows George Washington about to shake hands with Mr. Van Courtlandt on the threshold of his mansion.

But it also shows bounteously green maple trees, blooming petunias and blue lilies. Well, well, say the critics, how the climate must have changed in the Bronx, though, of course, up there anything is possible. Blue lilies were scarce this November and petunias weren't so plentiful, either. We do know that at one time, preceding the first ice age, the Bronx, together with the other boroughs, did have a warm climate, but Washington scarcely seems to fit into that picture, and the Van Courtlandt mansion almost certainly wasn't erected.

J. Monroe Hewlett, the artist, is now director of the American Academy at Rome, where blue lilies, presumably, bloom all the year round. But up in the Bronx it just seems to be a case of "the flowers that bloom in the spring, tra, la, have nothing to do with the case.

The mise-en-scene seems odd to the average observer only because he hasn't been up to Museum of Modern Art, where blue lilies might spring right out of George Washington's head without being taken amiss. Besides, Mr. Hewlett might explain that the picture is symbolical, with the trees and flowers bursting into bloom at Washington's approach. Or it might be surrealism. Or maybe the artist wasn't supplied with a calendar. Or maybe he just didn't give a darn.

Perhaps there's a moral in the fact that an academic picture which offers a blue lily in the wrong month is regarded as screwy while the really screwy pictures which flood the galleries of New York are taken quite seriously.

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IT was a sad Christmas this year for the cats of Governor's Island. The United States Government, speaking through the military authorities at Fort Jay, announced that any felines caught outdoors between the hours of 7:30 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. would be impounded until the owners of same paid the sum of 50 cents each. This may really be a laudable effort to raise national relief funds, but to a cat, it sounds suspiciously like a curfew.

Cats aren't like human beings and shouldn't be regimented that way. A human being wakes up at 7:30 in the morning. A cat wakes up at 7:30 at night. A cat without a prowl is like—well, it's like a dog without a lamp-post. What is existence to a true cat without a back fence at midnight? And what about the love life of these cats? Is Dr. Dafoe never to have his chance with the feline quintuplets of Governor's Island? In the long run, take it from a cat we know very well, the cats of America will never submit to rule by the military. That, they say, would be—excuse it please—a catastrophe.

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McClelland Barclay, who brings pretty women to life on magazine covers, had a happy Christmas thought. He flung an "alimony party" to 150 guests in sacred memory of the period he spent last year in a Hartford prison in honor of his first wife. Flannigan, the jailor up at Hartford, came down to help out. Everybody had to eat bean soup and all the men wore dungarees supplied by Flannigan. The waiters flaunted prison uniforms. Being in jail is really quite fun—when you're out again.

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The Metropolitan Opera season, Gatti Cazassa's last season, has started again and what, do you suppose, was the opener? My, what quick reactions you have! Yes, it actually was Verdi's "Aida."

The explanation of this is very simple. New York City lies on an earthquake fault that extends Southward from the Saguenay River in Canada. If any other opera except "Aida" has been selected to open the season at the Metropolitan there would have been an earthquake, all the tall buildings would have fallen down, all the people would have been killed and even the golden horseshoe might have been cracked.

'Social Evils' Under Attack

Mt. Pleasant Congregational Pledges Support to National Council.

Charging "ancient social evils" with the responsibility for the economic "disasters of the present time," the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church has unanimously approved and indorsed the organization of, and pledged support to, the new National Council for Social Action of the Congregational and Christian Churches.

The council was established at the recent national convention of the denomination for the purpose of assembling information to be used in educating members of the churches in the urgent need for Christian social action. The Rev. Russell J. Clinchy, minister of Mount Pleasant Church, is a member of the council, and his church is the first local unit of the denomination to give support to the action of the national convention.

The resolution was written by a committee, of which John J. Esch, former chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, was chairman, with Miss Katherine Lenroot, chief of the Federal Children's Bureau; Arthur D. Call, secretary of the American Peace Society; Cyrus Kehr, A. D. McNair, Miss Elizabeth Pomeroy and Mrs. W. O. Tufts were also members.

In his last sermon of the year tomorrow morning, Mr. Clinchy will give his opinion of the effect of world conditions upon the present and future status of religion, speaking on "A Survey of Religion in 1934."

"Do you mind putting Mr. Cosgrove in this boat? We were just finishing a hand of bridge."

Along the Potomac

With Carlisle Bargeron

Political Science.

THE difference between the new order and the old goes deeper than is implied in the association of one with bathtubs and the other with washing machines. Looking at the matter superficially, that is to say, without probing to the fundamentals of it, one is apt to conclude from the fact that the old order of laissez faire gave us bathtubs and that this new order of the more abundant life is to give us washing machines, that bathtubs and washing machines mark the difference. In this case one would appraise the two orders by his preference for a bathtub or a washing machine, as the case might be. Thus it would come to be that the Tories would be those who prefer bathtubs and would therefore always be shouting for a return to the old order and a balanced budget, while the New Dealers, those who look upon the present Administration as a gift from Heaven, would be no more than people who preferred washing machines to bathtubs.

BARGERON.

The question goes deeper than this. It is one not so much of the material things which the respective schools of Government offer, but the way in which they offer them. It is the approach, so to speak. The thing for us students of political science to determine, then, is which approach offers the broader life.

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First, we will take the bathtub government of Mr. Coolidge. It is not contended here that it was perfect, or that it was not attended by a lot of bunk. Any consideration of a return to that order must be accompanied by a full realization of the errors of the past.

It will be recalled that an utterly unwarranted smugness on our part marked this era. It was our wont to scoff at the Europeans and to brag that we had more and better bathtubs than any people in the world. We may have had more, but surely we know now that we did not have the best ones. It is a biting commentary on our smugness of those days that while we bragged of our bathtubs our literature was filled with the hazards of them. More people were injured in bathtubs, through slipping on soap and scalding water and the like, than in any other way, even more than by automobiles, we were constantly told.

Now, as any cosmopolite, as this writer is, knows, the Europeans have precautions against these injuries, or at least signals by which one may make known his plight and not be left to die. In Europe, one slipping on soap or breaking his noodle against the floor of the tub merely pulls a cord and very quickly he is attended by everybody from the prefect of the town on down to the hotel maid.

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This ignorance on our part during the old order, however, does not condemn it. During that order we had a freedom of choice which every liberty-loving person should cling to.

Mr. Coolidge did not go out and put bathtubs in our homes. Instead, we were given money by which we could buy bathtubs if we wanted to.

This freedom of choice does not obtain under the new order. Under the washing-machine policy we are not given money, or conditions so brought about that we can make the money to buy washing machines. We are given the washing machines instead. This is the very essential difference between the two governmental plans.

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Now it may readily be seen that there are a lot of us who do not want a washing machine but who want a bureau instead. It would seem that in the furnishing of our homes we should be permitted to choose our furnishings in the order of our desire.

But are we permitted to do that? We are not.

"Comes the revolution," the New Dealers say, "and you get washing machines."

"But," we reply, "we do not want washing machines, we want bureaus."

"Comes the revolution," the New Dealers adamantly repeat, "you take washing machines."

The New Congress

WILLIAM M. CITRON, Representative-elect from Connecticut . . . Democrat . . . former minority leader of the Connecticut House . . . product of the old red schoolhouse on South Main street, Middletown . . . he entered Harvard with 15 cents, was graduated with a law diploma . . . former clerk of the State Senate attorney for City of Middletown and twice unsuccessful candidate for Congress . . . ardent advocate old age pensions and unemployment insurance . . . one hobby—books.

Such a large proportion of those who have been pictured by Mr. Robles have asked for the originals that The Washington Post is saving all these drawings to honor the requests of any future members of "The National Gallery."

The Once-Over

By H. I. Phillips.

Calendar for 1935.

January brings the snows,
Motorboat and auto shows,
Pictures of alluring peaches
Nearly nude on Southern beaches,
And some speeches quite extended
Saying the depression's ended.

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February brings the thaw,
Sloppy streets and weather raw,
Ground hogs, flu and plumber tools,
Pictures of Miami pools,
Tales of cherry trees and axes—
And a few more hundred taxes!

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March sees early golfers teeing
And an end of people skiing;
Brings out all the motors Sundays,
Kites, more flu and lighter undies,
Statements saying trade is higher—
And an echo screaming "Liar!"

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April brings the hurdy-gurdies,
Vernal sights and noisy birdies,
Easter togs and weather sunny,
Men in silk hats looking funny,
Baseball, golf and tennis doubles,
And a few more labor troubles!

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In the merry month of May
Fights on Section 7A
Break out here and break out there,
Talk of riots fills the air;
As new crises loom to harm us
Franklin makes a speech to calm us.

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June brings in the pretty roses,
Hot dogs, heat and garden hoses;
Mussolini makes his phiz
Look much stronger than it is;
Heat waves come to fret and try us—
And those Japs again defy us.

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In July we get a slump
And more priming of the pump;
Burns from pistol-caps and powder,
Bluefish dinners, clamless chowder;
Huey Long goes on vacation—
What a break for any nation!

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August brings the motor crashes,
Summer girls with long eyelashes;
Boys in flannels carry torches
For the blondes on hotel porches;
On the beaches there's enjoyment—
And a spread in unemployment.

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Cool September gives the land
Football it can't understand;
People flock by hill and hollow
To see games too deep to follow;
In the stands few fans are sober—
That's true also through October.

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In November come the cries,
"Unemployment Figures Rise!"—
Business men are disappointed,
Times still seem to be disjointed,
Future seems no whit less murky—
White House gets another turkey.

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Comes December; voices wheezy
Squawk that business still is cheesey;
Not a Senator relaxes
As he piles on further taxes;
Uncle Sam says, "Lissen, baby,
Things will pick up NEXT YEAR
. . . MAYBE!"

Habit Is a Terrible Thing.

Nothing hurts some business men more than admitting that things are a little better.

"'You can't have two bosses in time of war,' Col. Harris said."—New York Times. The reply of any Army private to this is, "The hell you can't."

Mr. Stoneham says the Giants will not play nights. He means baseball, we presume.

We know a man whose illness is puzzling doctors, but who says he has the "blends" from drinking holiday liquor.

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Virginia Apple Prices Higher

Growers' Return Is Above 1933 With Crop Half as Large.

Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Albemarle County's apple crop for 1934 was approximately 50 per cent less than last year's, but quality and prices showed a marked increase, F. E. Merrifield, secretary of the Piedmont Virginia Fruit Growers' Association, said today.

The production decrease was attributed to drought conditions, but the higher quality of the crop will enable orchardists to obtain an average of $1 a barrel above 1933 prices.

Due to foreign market conditions, storage plants in the city and county were holding 151,393 barrels of apples on December 1, a considerably larger amount than was in storage on the same date last year, Mr. Merrifield said. He pointed out that high import duties and home crops have practically removed the foreign market for Virginia apples.

It is expected, however, that exports will be resumed shortly in view of the fact that the European marketing season is nearly over.

Tannery Reports Boom for Month

Williamsport Plant Going Along at Record Pace.

Williamsport, Md., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—For the first time in the history of this town's principal industry, the W. D. Byron & Sons tannery, which employs more than half the heads of all homes here, is operating full time during December, the first time in the 102 years of the firm's existence.

More than 300 men are employed during a season when the company, even during the World War days and boom periods, was forced to close down because of the nature of its product.

Maj. Joseph W. Byron, West Point graduate, one of Gen. Pershing's aides during the World War, who is one of the owners of the company, believes the depression was the turning point in an industry which had expected periodic closing down, because it gave an opportunity to plan for the future and to do some pioneering.

New Manager Arrives at Waynesboro Plant

Waynesboro, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Peter Richmond has arrived from Providence, R. I., to assume the managership of the Crompton-Shenandoah Company's large textile manufacturing unit here. He will succeed L. W. Mason, for the past four years in charge of the local plant, but who recently transferred to the head of the Crompton plant at Hartwell, Ga.

The new manager of the Waynesboro unit is the son of Frank E. Richmond, president of the Crompton Company, Crompton, R. I., one of the leading New England industrialists.

Dream Poem

By Wm. Lyon Phelps

MANY works of literary art have come to their authors in the form of a dream. William Archer, the famous drama critic, dreamed one night the story of "The Green Goddess;" he offered it to Bernard Shaw as a collaborator, and fortunately for Archer, Shaw refused. So Archer wrote the play himself, and made more money out of that one piece than he had made in his whole life writing drama criticisms. It removed all anxiety for this old age.

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The author of "Lorna Doone," Richard D. Blackmore, one night dreamed the following poem; in the dream he was at a funeral and heard the mourners singing these words. He was so impressed by the dream that in the morning he had no trouble in writing every word; it is the finest thing in verse that ever came from his pen.

Dominus Illuminatio Mea.

In the hour of death, after this life's whim,
When the heart beats low, and the eyes grow dim,
And pain has exhausted every limb—
The lover of the Lord shall trust in Him.

When the will has forgotten the life-long aim,
And the mind can only disgrace its fame,
And a man is uncertain of his own name,
The power of the Lord shall fill this frame.

When the last sigh is heaved and the last tear shed,
And the coffin is waiting beside the bed,
And the widow and child forsake the dead,
The angel of the Lord shall lift this head.

For even the purest delight may pall,
The power must fail, and the pride must fall,
And the love of the dearest friends grow small—
But the glory of the Lord is all in all.

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Luther Place Drama Given

'The Other Wise Man' Is Presented by Group at Memorial Church.

As has been the custom of the past nine years, "The Other Wise Man" was presented at three performances this week at Luther Place Memorial Church, Fourteenth and N streets northwest.

The Chapel Players of Washington had charge, and parts were taken by members of amateur drama groups of the city.

"The Other Wise Man" has been recognized as the Capital City's Christmas drama.

More than 75 persons appeared in the drama. John Sikken, member of the Washington Community Players, the Roof Players, the Shakespeare Society and other drama groups, appeared for the first time in the title role of Artaban, the other wise man.

Salmon Traced Back To 'Parent Streams'

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 28 (AP).—By "branding" baby salmon, students say they have established proof of the "parent stream theory" that salmon return from the sea to spawn in the same streams from which they came.

Willis H. Rich, professor of biology, at Stanford University, said today in an address before a meeting of the Northwest Scientific Association each tributary of streams flowing to the ocean was shown to have a distinct colony or race of salmon.

U.S.S. Babbitt Sent On Annapolis Duty

The U. S. S. Babbitt, Lieut. Edward H. Doolin, U. S. N., commanding, has been ordered to the Naval Academy, Annapolis, for duty under the superintendent, Read Admiral David Foote Sellers, U. S. N. The destroyer has been assigned for the purpose of instruction and training of midshipmen.

Upon the conclusion of the Babbitt's period in the rotating reserve, another destroyer in that status will replace her.

Traffic Toll of 133 Forecast for Denver

Denver, Dec. 28 (AP).—A forecast that 133 persons will be killed in automobile accidents in Denver during 1935 was made in a report submitted today to William E. Gunther, manager of safety. The report was based on a survey made by Federal emergency relief workers.

So far this year, 103 persons have lost their lives in auto crashes in and near Denver.

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Senate Long Blocked Supervision Of Arms

Refusal To Ratify Geneva Proposal In 1925 Recalled By Current Nye Investigation.

By Constance Drexel.
(Special Correspondence of The Post.)

MUCH has been said about the paradox of governments trying to stop the use of armed force—for example, in the Far East and in South America—while permitting their nationals to inundate those areas with deadly weapons of destruction. Much has been said about commercial motives in influencing expenditures for national defense, and a Senate committee is conducting an important investigation into this matter.

Now consider, for a moment, the 1925 Geneva Treaty for the "Supervision of the International Trade in Arms, and Ammunition and in Implements of War." For nine years—until hastily approved by the Senate last June, with a complicated proviso which has prevented ratification—it slumbered undisturbed in the Senate's Foreign Relations Committee.

Since its main provisions have now been incorporated in the American treaty proposals for Governmental control not only of international traffic, but also of the manufacture of arms and munitions of war, which are now before the Disarmament Conference at Geneva, discussing that discarded convention may seem superfluous.

The reason for doing so is that, if the Senate's investigating committee is as sincere in trying to get at facts as it appears to be, sooner or later the ultimate responsibility for the present deplorable situation will be found to lie right in the Senate itself.

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AT the Paris Peace Conference, ending the World War, the victorious powers took good care to disarm Germany and her allies very completely. Also, in articles 126, 168 and 170 of the Treaty of Versailles, Germany was forced to destroy her munitions industries, forbidden to import or export munitions and implements of war. Just enough factories were allowed for the manufacture of the weapons permitted to her under the treaty. Assurances to Germany that the victorious powers took this step as a preliminary to general disarmament were given in the preamble of Part V of the treaty, Clemenceau, as president of the Peace Conference, confirmed this promise in a statement to the German delegation before the signing of the treaty.

That this promise has not been fulfilled by the victorious powers, either in regard to disarmament or even in regard to any control of the manufacture and sale of weapons of war, is the bald truth facing the conscience of the world today. And that the first accomplishment depends very largely upon the second is becoming more and more acutely evident today.

At the Peace Conference, in the League Covenant and in the earliest discussions at Geneva, when many statesmen were trying to build a new world order to replace the old one of war and preparedness for war, efforts to control the munitions business were made again and again. Upon the refusal of the United States Government—the greatest producing country of all—to participate in the early League discussions, or even to answer inquiries from Geneva, can be laid a large share of the blame for their failure.

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LARGELY because of American opposition, what was really the first convention of its kind—the proposed treaty for the "Control of the Trade in Arms and Ammunition," drafted with the help of the American delegation and signed at St. Germain-en-Laye on September 10, 1919—had to be abandoned.

After three years of subsequent efforts to stimulate American interest in control of the arms traffic, the United States finally consented to be represented in the drafting of a new convention. But contrary to the expressed determination in resolutions of the League Council and Assembly, this participation was with the proviso that all consideration of the *manufacture* of arms must be struck out. Only the international traffic therein could be considered.

Further to placate the United States, the Central Statistical Office which had been *under* the League of Nations in the St. Germain Convention, became merely *established* at Geneva in the new draft. This was under the watchful eye of Minister Joseph Grew of the American delegation. And when Senator Burton, of Ohio, came over with a still a more imposing delegation to whip the 1925 convention into shape, he had them take out the Central office at Geneva altogether.

"You'll never get by with this in the United States Senate if you tie it on to Geneva," was his warning. And such was the power of the United States that the rest of the forty-odd delegations conformed.

There was not much left in that 1925 convention, it is true. But it did require all governments to impose licenses on exports of arms and munitions of war, with the obligation of using a uniform statement, and of publishing its figures at stated periods. At least, the world would have known where these engines of destruction were going, and the people of the United States would long ago have had much of the information disclosed by the present inquiry—if the Senate had agreed to play ball.

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SKIPPING all the sad, sad tale of the years between then and now, we come to a day early this month during the hearings held before the Nye Committee. Over on one side of that Finance Committee's room in marble, mahogany and mulberry—the mulberry being the carpet on the floor—are the expensive line of the du Ponts with their ever-genial counsel, Col. William Donovan, keeping them from losing their tempers in front of the firing squad.

At this session they and officials of some of the small arms manufacturing concerns—the Colt, Remington and Winchester companies—were being questioned about the above-mentioned 1925 Geneva convention. They are accused of influencing the negotiations before and blocking ratification afterward. Some of the committee became quite incensed over the matter. And while the testimony clearly involved the War Department and other Government officials, it did not seem to occur to any one present to wonder why the treaty had not even been brought to the floor of the Senate for discussion.

When asked his opinion on the matter, Senator Borah, former responsible chairman of the Senate's Foreign Relations Committee, is reported to have mumbled something about the treaty having been no good. Yet sketchy and incomplete as have been the references in this article to the piles of documentary evidence on the subject, enough has been said to show that the teeth were removed from the treaty in the first place upon the insistence of the United States Government. No restrictions or publicity of manufacture of arms and munitions of war would be tolerated and even the reliable collection of world information on the subject through the establishment of a central bureau was prevented. And that was largely due to Senate intolerance of any constructive proposal emanating from Geneva.

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HERE it might be explained that all except two of the members of the present investigating committee are new men in the Senate, having entered only in January, 1933. They can not be blamed for the past shortcomings. But it might be well for them to study the Senate's record in this matter.

This article is not an attempt to resurrect the pros and cons of the 1925 treaty. The American proposals now to be considered at Geneva do include strict control over manufacture of arms and munitions, both under private and Government ownership, and they do provide for a central supervising committee which will collect and publish information about these arms and munitions throughout the world, from revolvers to capital ships, who is making them and where they are going.

After that treaty is drafted and signed by duly accredited plenipotentiaries of perhaps 60 governments, will the Senate again bury it in its Foreign Relations Committee and refuse even to discuss it for the benefit of the American people?

This is not a plea for the new treaty, either. It is merely the humble testimony of one observer who has now attended some of the Nye Committee hearings after following the drafting of the Versailles Treaty and 15 years of subsequent arguments about munitions control at Geneva. It is amusing to see the solemn way in which the Senators have pulled the cotton from their ears to learn some of the stuff that even the children in the kindergarten of Europe know.

By all means, let the education of the Senate continue. After all, it is the organ of the body politic charged by the Constitution with a large share of responsibility in this Government's international relations.

Pilgrims Visit Wilson's Tomb

Widow of Ex-President Places Flowers for Anniversary.

Pilgrims from all sections of the United States journeyed to the tomb of the late President Woodrow Wilson in the Bethlehem Chapel of Washington Cathedral on Mount St. Albans yesterday to commemorate the seventy-eighth anniversary of his birth. There was no formal religious service at the grave.

The World War President's tomb had been decorated by Mrs. Wilson with poinsettias and greens according to her usual custom. She visited the chapel during the day.

Of the many floral contributions, the first to arrive was a wreath of bay leaves, which was placed within the iron grille in front of the sarcophagus by Lieut. Chester Hammond, a military aid at the White House. Other floral tributes arrived during the day from widely separated parts of the Nation.

The World War President is buried in a sarcophagus recessed in the south wall of the chapel. The tomb occupies a space eight feet wide and 18½ feet high and is marked only with the Crusaders' cross and the legend, "Woodrow Wilson—1856-1924."

Over the sarcophagus is a delicately carved oak canopy with the inscription, "I am the Resurrection and the Life, saith the Lord." Two historic flags surmount the canopy.

Naval Officer Called Suicide in Honolulu

Honolulu, Dec. 28 (AP).—Lieut. Joseph Thomas Sheehan, naval officer, whose body was found in a vacant house here, was reported today by Detective Lieut. Michael Morse to have committed suicide by cutting his throat with a knife. The officer was attached to the U. S. S. Beaver.

The body was found yesterday by a real estate man when he called at a house next to the home of Lieut. Sheehan.

Postoffice Low Bidder.

The Bonded Construction Corporation, of New York City, yesterday was low bidder on construction of a new postoffice at Orange, Va., with an offer of $36,348, according to the Associated Press.

'Watch Night' Services to Usher New Year Into Churches of Capital

Dr. Sizoo Plans Annual Review On 1934 Events

Festival Chorus to Repeat Musical Program Given Last Week.

Tomorrow morning at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church Dr. Joseph R. Sizoo will have for the subject of his sermon, "It Is Not Night." The Christmas festival chorus will again share the services of the church both morning and evening, when the musical program of last Sunday will be repeated.

In keeping with his custom on the last Sunday evening of the year, Dr. Sizoo will preach on "The Religious Significance of the Events of 1934."

It is also the custom of the church to observe a special service on New Year's Eve. In keeping with that tradition, members and friends of the church are invited to share the watch night service, to be held Monday evening at 11 o'clock.

House Warming Set.

From 8:30 to 11 p. m. Monday the officers and teachers of the Church Bible School invite the friends and members of the church to a house warming in the parish hall. The remodeling of the parish hall has just been completed and the church Bible school is anxious to make the congregation acquainted with its new facilities.

On Thursday of next week at 8 p. m. the usual mid-week prayer service will be observed in the Lincoln Chapel. Dr. Sizoo will begin a series of talks on the mission study subject, "World Tides in the Far East."

Chevy Chase Presbyterian—"The Challenger" will be the subject of Dr. Hollister's sermon at the 11 a. m. worship service.

The Hearthstones will meet at 5 p. m. Sunday in the Young People's room.

At 7:30 p. m. the collegian group and the young people home from college for the Christmas vacation will be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Hollister at their home, 6302 Beechwood drive, Chevy Chase, Md.

The Fireside group will meet at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. LeRoy New, 208 Primrose street, Chevy Chase, Md. Elmer D. Hays, sr., will lead the group.

The Young People's Society will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the Young People's room.

Next Thursday, January 3, will mark the opening of the winter series of Thursday evening study courses. There will be three groups meeting simultaneously at 7:45 in the church school building. Dr. George S. Duncan, of American University, will conduct a course on "Archeology and the Bible," the four lectures being: January 3, "Egypt, the Cradle of Civilization;" January 10, "Egypt and the Hebrews;" January 17, "Babylonia and Assyria;" January 24, "Ancient and Modern Palestine." Each lecture will be illustrated by not less than 50 stereopticon views.

After each lecture there will be a forum for any questions bearing on the lecture. Dr. Hollister will conduct a conference course on "Church Leadership," for the members of the session and board of deacons. The third course will be a course in Christian education for teachers and parents.

Covenant-First Presbyterian, Connecticut avenue at Eighteenth and N streets—Dr. Albert Joseph McCartney, minister; the Rev. Samuel R. Allison, assistant minister.

"A Glance Backward" will be the subject of Dr. Albert Joseph McCartney's sermon Sunday morning at the Covenant-First Presbyterian Church. New Year's day there will be a service at 11 o'clock in the chapel.

Judge Hugh M. Tate will address the All Comers Men's Bible Class Sunday at 9:45 a. m. on the topic, "Twelve Tests of a Christian."

The Westminster Club (college and high school ages), will meet in the church house, 1229 Connecticut avenue, at 7 p. m. Sunday, and under the leadership of Miss Margaret Edson, on the subject "How to Have a Happy New Year." Miss Muriel Arnold will address the Covenant Fellowship Sunday in the chapel at 7 o'clock on the subject, "The Legend of Sir Winifred." Tea will be served during the social hour from 6 until 7 o'clock.

Beginning next Sunday morning William S. Culbertseon will begin a series of lectures on "The Teachings of the Hebrew Prophets in the Life of Today." This class begins at 10 o'clock in the fireside room of the church house, 1229 Connecticut avenue. The first of the series will be "The Holy Bible, Translated Out of the Original Tongues in the Year of Our Lord 1611."

Northminster Presbyterian Church, Eleventh street and Rhode Island avenue northwest, Rev. Robert C. Simmons—All departments of the church school will meet at 9:45 a. m., including the adult classes.

At 11 a. m. the morning worship service will take place with a sermon by Mr. Simmons, "A Vision and a Task."

The young people will meet at 7 p. m. to consider the topic, "Our Aims for 1935." All young people are invited.

Arlington Presbyterian, Arlington, Va., Columbia pike and Spring Hill road. Rev. Walter F. Wolf, pastor—Morning worship will be at 11 a. m. and at 6:45 p. m. the Girls' Christian Endeavor will meet. At 7:30 p. m. "The Light of the Ages," a Christmas-tide pageant depicting the ever-widening influence of the Star of Bethlehem, arranged by the Rev. Henry J. Miller, will be presented by the Junior Churchmen's League and other members of the St. George's Protestant Episcopal Church of Clarendon, Va. The pageant includes 65 costumed participants and about 20 others who appear in street dress.

'Holy Ground' Topic For New Year's Sermon

Dr. W. A. Smith Talks on 'Life's Dreams,' Sunday Night.

"Holy Ground" is the subject which Dr. W. Angie Smith, pastor of Southern Methodism's representative Church at Mount Vernon place has selected for his New Year's sermon at the 11 a. m. service. At 8 p. m., "Life's Dreams Completed" is the subject of the sermon. At 8 p. m. on Thursday evening, at the midweek prayer meeting service, Dr. Smith will continue his series of messages on "The Beatitudes," speaking at that time on the subject "Blessed Are the Peacemakers."

Special arrangements have been completed for the annual watch night service to be held in the church auditorium Monday night beginning at 10 o'clock. An informal reception with refreshments will be held in the church parlors from 10 until 11. Returning to the auditorium, the regular service will be held from 11 until midnight.

The large vested choir of Mount Vernon Church will sing in a program Monday afternoon from 2:30 to 3 o'clock, concluding the sequicentennial celebration in a worldwide broadcast over the Columbia network. Bishop Edwin H. Hughes, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and Bishop Edwin D. Mouzon, of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, will speak from this continent. Arthur Henderson, president of the League of Nations, and an English local Methodist preacher, will speak from London, England.

The new officers of the Woman's Missionary Society will be installed at the regular night meeting of that society, which will be held at the church on Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Hamline Methodist Episcopal Church, Sixteenth street at Allison street northwest, the Rev. H. W. Burgan, pastor. "A New Year's Message" will be given tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock by the minister.

The evening service will be a vesper service from 5 to 6 o'clock. The young people of the Epworth League and church school will join with the minister in conducting the service. Miss Florence Yeager and Harry Crow will sing a duet, Randolph Hughes a solo with H. F. Keiser at the organ, Miss Virginia Amidon will give a brief talk on "Youth and the Program of the Church for 1935." Earl Emerson will preside and the minister will give a brief address.

The women's all-day meeting will be held on Wednesday at 10 a. m., beginning with the Ladies' Aid Society. This meeting will be followed by the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Wilbur LaRowe, jr., chairman of the civic affairs committee of the Federation of Churches, will speak to the home society on "Crime and the Church." Luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock.

The church training night will be resumed on Thursday night at 8 o'clock, with a New Year's devotional period, followed by classes in missions, Bible, church music and leadership training. Mrs. W. A. Olson will conduct the missionary group conference.

Anniversary services will begin at Hamline on Sunday, January 6. Special meetings will be held each week night following, except Saturday.

McKendree Methodist Episcopal, Massachusetts avenue, between Ninth and Tenth streets northwest, Samuel E. Rose, minister—"Another Reminiscent Service" is the special feature for tomorrow at 8 p. m. A number of present members of McKendree Church will relate bits of their experience growing out of their long relationship with their church. The minister, the Rev. Samuel E. Ross, will preach on "The Mercy of Oblivion," a subject appropriate to this occasion and to the last Sunday evening of the old year.

At 11 a. m. the minister will preach on "Upsets of the Old Year," with special music by the choir.

"Watch night" service on Monday evening, December 31, beginning at 11 o'clock. Meditation by the minister on "The Closing Hour."

On Thursday evening at 8 p. m. the Rev. Rose will give the ninth study in "Philippians."

The District Epworth League will hold a communion service in the auditorium on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, with Dr. B. M. Meeks, district superintendent, presiding.

Chevy Chase M. E. Church—Dr. John Reid Shannon, former pastor of Metropolitan M. E. Church will be the speaker at the morning service on Sunday in Chevy Chase M. E. Church, of which Rev. Edward G. Latch is pastor. The double quartette under the direction of Mrs. W. E. Braithwaite will repeat the Christmas music.

Sunday evening at 6:45 the young people will meet at the church.

There will be a Watch Night service beginning at 11:15, Monday night, with the pastor presiding.

The Woman's League will meet for luncheon at 12:30 Wednesday at the home of Mrs. William E. Springer, 18 West Lenox street.

The Thursday evening prayer meeting will be omitted.

Metropolitan Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church—"Life's Outlook and Outcome," will be discussed by the pastor, Chesteen Smith, at the Metropolitan Church on Sunday morning.

A young peoples services will be held at 7 p. m. Three topics will be considered: Lessons to be remembered, failures to be forgotten, friendships to be kept.

The church school is making a special appeal for attendance on the final Sunday of the year. The Men's Community Bible Class will have Dr. A. C. Christie as its teacher.

Douglas Memorial Methodist Episcopal, Eleventh and H streets northeast, Rev. Clarence H. Corkran, pastor. The pastor will have as his morning theme, "Flow of the Years." At the evening service there will be four short addresses, presenting the church school, Epworth League and official board. The speakers will be Walter J. Snellings, Fred L. Hoffman, Van Roberds and Clarence H. Corkran, jr. Immediately following the evening service there will be a reception to the membership in the main church school room.

Wilson Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, Eleventh street southeast, between G and I streets, George H. Bennett, pastor. At the 11 a. m. worship, the pastor's sermon subject will be, "Facing a New Year."

At 8 p. m. the choir is presenting the popular cantata, "The Music of Bethlehem," by Fred B. Holton. Solo parts will be taken by Mrs. J. Earl Plowman, soprano, and Robert Brockhurst, barytone. Quartet numbers will be rendered by Miss Elizabeth Monn, soprano; Mrs. Lawrence Harris, contralto; Manuel Salguero, tenor, and Walter Fry, barytone. The choir is directed by Mr. Carter Heslep, with Miss Viola Langley at the organ.

Francis Asbury M. E. Church South—"The Beauty of the Lord" will be Dr. Beery's sermon subject at 11 a. m. Sunday. At 8 p. m., Dr. Beery will speak on "Realizing Our Possibilities."

At both services, the quartet and choir will repeat the beautiful program of Christmas music presented at the morning and evening services recently. An organ recital will be given by Allen H. Watson at 7:40 p. m.

On Wednesday, Circle No. 1 of the Woman's Mission Society will meet with Mrs. Alley, 1474 Harvard street, at 2 p. m., and at 8 p. m., Circle No. 4 meets with Mrs. Beulah Foulke, 1857 Mintwood place.

Prayer service, conducted by the pastor, on Thursday, at 8 p. m.

Boy Scout Troop 59 meets Friday at 7:30 p. m.

Rhode Island Avenue Methodist Protestant Church, First and Rhode Island avenue northwest, the Rev. R. Y. Nicholson, D. D., pastor. The sermon topic at the 11 a. m. services tomorrow will be "The Rainbow Over Tomorrow." At 8 p. m. tomorrow a Christmas pageant, "The Other Wise Man," will be presented.

At 11 p. m. Monday a union watch night service will be held in the Memorial United Brethren Church.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at 11 a. m. Wednesday for their monthly session, a business session following a luncheon. Thursday at 8 p. m. the midweek prayer meeting will take place.

Lincoln Road Methodist Episcopal Church, Lincoln road and U street northeast, Robert S. Barnes, minister.

The minister will preach at the 11 a. m. service tomorrow on "The Rivers of Life." Special music by both the senior and junior choirs will be given.

The subject at the 8 p. m. service will be "How to Make the Year 1935 Successful."

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Aid Society and the Missionary societies will meet Wednesday at 10:30 a. m.

Dumbarton Avenue M. E. Church, Dumbarton avenue near Wisconsin avenue, Walter Franklin Atkinson, minister. The sermon topic at the services tomorrow at 11 a. m. will be "The Great Redeemer." A reception for new members will follow.

At the 8 p. m. services the worship theme will be "Light in the Darkness," featured by a special candle light service in which each member of the congregation will have a part. The newly vested choir will sing appropriate music.

This church will unite with churches of Georgetown in a Watch Night service Monday evening to be held in the Mount Tabor M. P. Church.

Waugh M. E. Church, 308 A street northeast, the Rev. Allan F. Poore, pastor. The sermon topic by the pastor will be "Entering the Shepherd's Experience," at the 11 a. m. services.

At 7 p. m. tomorrow the Epworth League will meet. The pastor will speak on "Your Deadliest Enemy" at the 8 p. m. services tomorrow.

Calvary M. E. Church, South, 3040 Q street northwest, the Rev. W. D. Keene, pastor. The Rev. W. D. Keene, pastor Calvary M. E. Church, South, will preach at 11 on "Buying the Truth." The fifth Sunday is observed in the churches of Southern Methodism as "College Day," and pastors are expected to bring an educational message to their congregations.

At the evening service at 8, the pastor will bring an old year-new year message on "Thanksgiving and Courage." On Thursday evening at 8 the talk will be on "Beginning Again."

Central M. E. Church, Remington, Va.—The Rev. Earl D. Miller, of Remington, Va., will be the speaker at the morning service on Sunday in Central M. E. Church South, Bethesda, in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. John C. Blakemore.

Rev. A. E. Owens, of Potomac, will be the speaker at the evening service.

Bill Barnsley will lead the meeting of the Intermediate Epworth League at 7:15 Sunday evening.

Clarendon Methodist Episcopal Church, Clarendon and Taylor avenues, Clarendon Va.—The Rev. J. H. Pearson, pastor. The pastor will give a sermon at the 11 a. m. services.

Bishop Edwin D. Mouxon, of Charlotte, N. C., will be the guest speaker at the services tomorrow at 8 p. m.

Petworth Methodist Episcopal, New Hampshire avenue at Grant circle northwest, the Rev. R. L. Wood, pastor.

An Old Year symbolic Candle Light Service will be held tomorrow night. Following the song service, the entire congregation, led by twelve men symbolizing the twelve apostles, will pass the light from one to another. The church will be lighted entirely by candles. The choir will lead in the song service, assisted by Charles Hiller, barytone soloist, of Ohio Wesleyan University, who is home for the holidays. There will be no sermon.

At 11 a. m. the minister will conduct the service. He will preach an Old Year sermon: "The Immortality of Time."

Thursday at 8 p. m. the Mid-Week Service will be resumed, following the special Church Night program of the fall months.

Trinity M. E., Fifth and Second square southeast. The minister, the Rev. Dan L. Ennis, D. D., will have for his subject at 11 a. m. tomorrow "God With Us." and at 8 p. m. He will tell Van Dyke's story of "The Other Wise Man." Herbert H. McMurray will address the adult bible classes at 10 a. m., Monday at 10:30 p. m. Watch Night Service will be held. A stereopticon lecture entitled, "The Romance of Methodism," will be given by the minister.

Foundry Methodist Episcopal, Sixteenth and Church streets, the Rev. Frederick Brown Harris, D. D., minister, has taken for his sermon subject at the 11 a. m. service, "Keeping Life's Margins." At 8 p. m., he will speak on "What Is a Happy New Year?"

The annual Watch Night Service will be held at 11 p. m. New Year's Eve. The theme will be "The Spreading Flame of Methodism," with brief addresses by the Rev. Frank W. Collier, D. D., and The Rev. John Reid Shannon, D. D., in addition to Dr. Harris, on "The Spreading Flame of the Christmas Conference," "The Spreading Flame of the Methodist Itineracy," and "The Spreading Flame of the Old Foundry," respectively.

Eldbrooke Methodist Episcopal, Wisconsin avenue at River road northwest, the Rev. Walter M. Michael, pastor. At the morning worship at 11 a. m. the pastor will preach on "God's Gift for the New Year." A church school Christmas entertainment will be at 7 p. m., directed by Miss Christine Riley.

Monday at 11 p. m., a Watch Night Service, with special music, will be held. The pastor will preach on "As We Face the New Year."

Calvary M. E., Columbia road near Fifteenth northwest, The Rev. Vernon N. Ridgely, D. D., minister, will preach at both services tomorrow. At 11 a. m. the sermon subject will be "My Father's Business," and at the 8 p. m. service "An Open Door." The song service will be resumed under the direction of Louis A. Potter, organist and director of music.

Miss Dorothy Potter will have charge of the Young People's League, which meets at 7 p. m., for the next few weeks. The subject for discussion will be "What Can Young People Do About Peace?"

The young people's department, under the direction of A. Rea Williams, will conduct the service at the Home for Incurables tomorrow at 3 p. m. Miss Frances Boss will lead the service, which is the Christmas story in pictures and song.

Dr. Ridgely will speak at the watch night service Monday at 10:45 p. m. The subject will be "Unfinished Business."

Dr. R. H. Miller Bases Sermon On Uncertainty

Special Music to Feature National City Christian Church Service.

Dr. Raphael Harwood Miller, minister of the National City Christian Church at Thomas Circle, will deliver a New Year's message Sunday morning, using for his theme "The Challenge of Uncertainty." Mrs. B. D. Shreve, soprano soloist, will furnish special music, and Miss Mary M. Wilkins will serve as guest organist in the absence of Lyman McCrary, organist, who is in Florida giving a series of organ recitals.

At the evening service Dr. Miller will use for his sermon topic, "Fighting the Stars."

The January meeting of the woman's council of the National City Christian Church will be held on Wednesday at 11 o'clock at the Social Hall. The Rev. Clifford Jope, minister of the Ninth Street Christian Church, will be the guest speaker, speaking on "The Secret of the Abiding Christ." Miss Virginia Sellars will give special music and Mrs. J. G. Cross will lead the devotional period.

At the Thursday Night Church Fellowship Dinner at 5:45 o'clock Dr. Miller will give a lecture on "The Plan of Salvation" in his series on "The Contribution of the Disciples to Religious Thought." The public is invited. This will be followed by a board of officers' meeting.

Ninth Street Christian Church, Ninth and D streets northeast, Clifford H. Jope, pastor. As a fitting close for the year 1934 the sermon subject for the evening service will be "Facing 1935 With a Purpose." The orchestra, under the direction of Joseph Harrison, is offering "Serenade" from "Eine Kliene Nochtmusik," by Mozart; "Theme," from a piano sonata by Mozart and overture, "Coriolan" by Beethoven.

At the morning communion and worship service the pastor, the Rev. Clifford H. Jope, will use as his sermon subject, "Such as I Have."

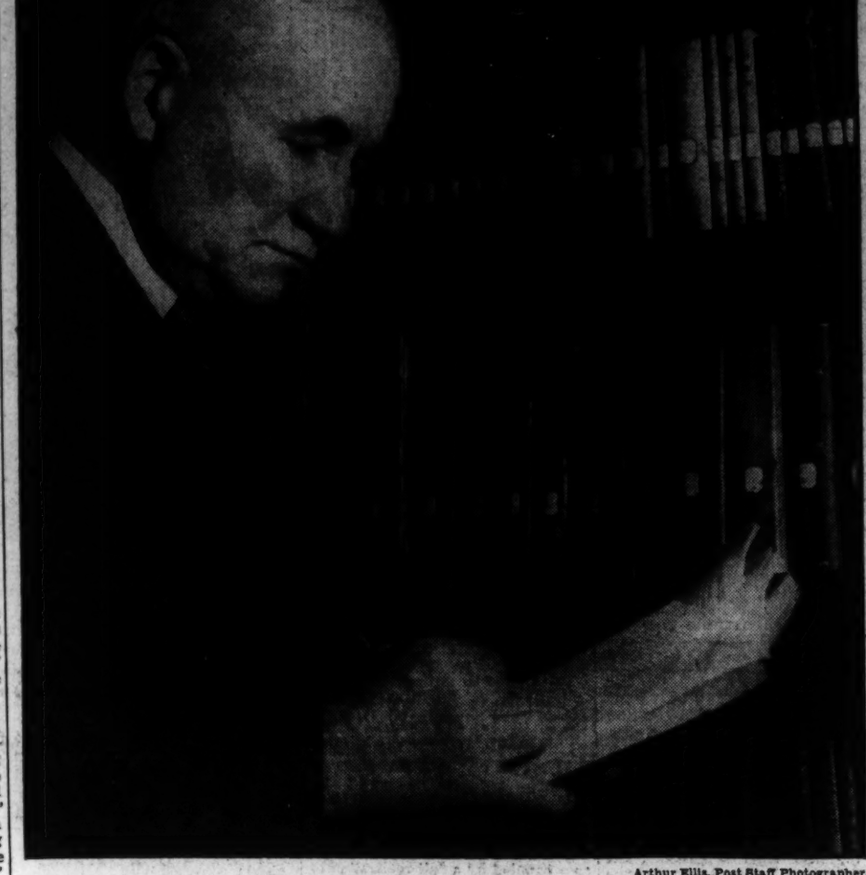
The Forum and Alpha Christian Endeavor societies will meet at 6:45 p. m.

The first church night service of the new year on Thursday, January 3, will be led by Dr. Jope and the subject will be "Prayer." The public is invited.

Columbia Heights Christian Church—The last Sunday in the year will be American Bible Sunday. In the morning the minister's topic will be "Why I Love the Book of Books." In the evening lantern slides will be shown illustrating the work of the American Bible Society in the translation and distribution of the sacred scriptures all over the world.

H Street Christian Church, H and Sixth streets southwest, the Rev. C. N. Williams, pastor. The minister will speak on "What Shall We Ring In and Out?" at the 11 a. m. services. The Christian Endeavor will meet at 7 p. m. Monday evening at 10 p. m. the yearly watch night social and prayer service will be held in the basement Bible school room.

Baptist Leader in His Book-Lined Study



DR. WILLIAM S. ABERNETHY, minister of the Calvary Baptist Church, in his study. This is one of a series of informal photographs of Washington ministers.

Arthur Ellis, Post Staff Photographer.

St. John's Plans Carol Service

Rev. Oliver J. Hart Will Speak on 'Christ and the Evening of Life.'

At the 11 a. m. service Sunday at St. John's Church, Sixteenth and H streets, the Rev. Oliver J. Hart, D. D., will preach on "Christ and the Evening of Life."

A special musical program of old Christmas carols will be presented by the choir of men and boys under the direction of T. Guy Lucas at the 7:45 p. m. service. The program is:

"Bring the Torch Jeanette, Isabella," "In Dulci Jubilo," "Shepherds in the Field Abiding," "Good King Wencelas," "A Babe Is Born," "As Up the Wood I Took My Way," "I Saw Three Ships," "I Heard an Infant Weeping," "Make We Merry."

At 8:15 on December 31 Mr. Lucas will present his monthly organ recital.

S. Johns Parish Episcopal Church, Mount Rainier, Md., the Rev. Walter P. Plumley, pastor. Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. will open the day's services tomorrow, followed by Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 a. m. The morning prayer and sermon will be at 11 a. m., the sermon being given by the vicar's brother, J. Lawrence Plumley.

A young people's meeting will be at 7:30 p. m., followed at 8 p. m. by evening prayer and sermon in honor of Masonic night.

On New Year's Eve a watch night and carol service will begin at 11:30 p. m.

St. Andrews Church, V street and New Hampshire avenue, the Rev. Alfred J. Wilder, rector—Holy Communion will take place tomorrow at 8 o'clock, at the church with special Christmas services for children with the junior vested choir at 9:30 a. m.

A service and sermon by the rector will be heard at 11 o'clock, the choir repeating Christmas music.

Holy communion will be held Tuesday at 11 o'clock and at 11 o'clock Thursday.

Church of the Epiphany—The rector, The Rev. Z. B. Phillips, D. D., will occupy the pulpit at the 11 a. m. service tomorrow, taking for his theme the "Challenge of the Approaching New Year."

There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 a. m., and at 9:30 a. m. Epiphany Church School will assemble. At evensong, at 8 p. m., the sermon will be delivered by the Rev. Harry Lee Doll, associate minister. Christmas music will be repeated at both services.

Dr. Phillips announces the Feast of the Epiphany, the beautiful candlelight service, first held on Friday, December 21, and, in conjunction with the Washington Choral Society, will be repeated in response to popular demand next Sunday afternoon.

Washington Cathedral, Mount Saint Alban—Several of the musical offerings rendered on Christmas day will be repeated at the service of morning prayer and holy communion in the great choir at 11 a. m. tomorrow, including the introit anthem, "The Hymn of the Angels" (John E. West), and the offertory anthem, "Now Once Again Our Hearts We Raise" (Percy E. Fletcher). The sermon will be delivered by Canon Anson Phelps Stokes.

The Bishop of Washington, the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, D. D., LL.D., will be the preacher at the choral evensong services at 4 p. m., when additional music appropriate to Christmastide will be rendered by the cathedral choir of men and boys under the direction of Edgar Priest. Services for the day will begin with the celebration of the Holy Communion in the Bethlehem Chapel at 7:30 a. m. Group pilgrimages for out-of-town worshipers will be held immediately following the 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. services, and will include a visit to the newly completed Children's Chapel which is to be dedicated early in 1935.

Grace Episcopal Church—A religious pageant, depicting New Testament scenes from the Vision of Zacharias in the Temple to the arrival of the Wise Men at the Manger, will be given tomorrow, at 8 p. m. in Grace Episcopal Church under the direction of the Rev. Meade Bolton MacBryde. Music will be furnished by an unseen choir under the direction of the organist, Dorothy Burch Moore.

Church of the Redeemer, Glen Echo—Morning prayer and sermon at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow. The sermon will be delivered by Thomas G. Spence.

71 Confirmed By the Bishop In New Class

Second Presented by Dr. Wills at Church of Our Saviour.

A class of 71 was confirmed recently at the Church of Our Saviour, Brookland Parish, Sixteenth and Irving streets northwest, by the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, D. D., before a large congregation.

Thirty-six of the class were adults. This is the second class presented by the rector, the Rev. Alvin Lamar Wills, M. A., B. D. The first class presented a year ago, totaled 60. During the 17 months of the present rectorship there have also been received by letter 128, making a total of 259 new members added to the parish, it is announced.

The newly confirmed class was as follows:

Junior class—Donald Avery, Helen Ashlin, Tommy Dodson, James Febrey, Blaine Gemeny, jr., Robert Gemeny, Evelyn Goodsight, James Harris, Franklin Holmead, Gloria Hulse, Almeda Kilmer, Dorothy Kilmer, Warren Koons, Betty Lancaster, Norma Jean Lawrence, Herman Meeks, Alma Nadine Miller, Virginia Miller, Catherine Nevitt, Magdaline Nevitt, Talmadge D. Nowell, Robert Preston, Jean Rider, Elizabeth Swift, Mildred Verna Swift, Wilma Pearl Swift, Inez Tyler, William T. Williams, Lorraine Williams, Nelson Woodson, Helen M. Wooten, James Wooten and Marshall Wills.

Adult class—Warren Barnwell, Miss Alice Bailey, Fred C. Barber, Eugene L. Brewster, Mrs. Eugene L. Brewster, Wharton J. Bruce, Robert Butterworth, Mrs. Anna S. Castell, Mrs. Ruth Delaney, Mrs. Elsie P. Hales, Mrs. Eugene Howe, Mrs. Adelaide James, Mrs. Julia Kreiger, Miss Dorothea Kreiger, Jack Lakeman, Miss Margaret Lakeman, A. Lloyd Lawrence, E. G. Sievers, Mrs. E. G. Sievers, Roland Linger, Mrs. Linger, Miss Kathryn Logan, Mrs. Louise Lutton, Mrs. Edith Lyles, Mrs. C. A. McKay, Miss Lottie McKay, Edward O'Brien, Mrs. Blanche M. Parker, Graydon Parker, Mrs. Mary Ridgeway, Miss Esther Trainer, Miss Ethel Trainer, Mrs. Marjorie Trainer, Richard L. Trainer, H. B. Trevillian, Mrs. Mary Walling, Charles J. Mensman and Miss Helen Hunt Giddings.

BAPTIST.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Sixteenth and O Sts. N. W.
Dr. S. J. Porter, Pastor Emeritus.
Dr. R. W. Weaver, Minister.
11 a. m.—"The Christian Review of 1934"—Dr. Weaver.
8 p. m.—Musical Program by Choir.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
6:45 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.

LUTHERAN.

Church of the Reformation
Opposite Folger Shakespeare Library.
Dr. Oscar F. Blackwelder, Pastor.
Dr. John Weidley, Pastor Emeritus.
Church School at 9:30 A. M.
Morning Worship at 11:00
"BLESS BE THE TIE"
Luther League at 6:45 P. M.
Evening Worship at 8:00
"IS LIFE WORTH LIVING?
You Are Cordially Invited.

CONGREGATIONAL.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Tenth and G sts. nw.
Allen A. Stockdale, D. D., Minister.
Dr. Stockdale preaches 11 a. m., "It Has Become History," and 8 p. m., "The Challenge of the New." Thursday, Church Night Supper, 6 o'clock; 6:45, meeting of the society for nomination of officers; Dr. Stockdale speaks on "The Modern Nehemiah Spirit."

Is Religion Waning?
Hear the Answer
By Rev. Russell J. Clinchy
At Mt. Pleasant Church
Tomorrow at 11 a. m.
"A Survey of Religion in 1934"
Church School at 9:30 a. m.
Young People's Group at 6 p. m.
1410 Col. Road—Phone Ad. 4614

Episcopal

Rock Creek Church
Founded A. D. 1719.
Rock Creek Church rd. and Webster st.
Rev. F. J. Bohanan, D. D., Rector.
Services, 8:30 a. m. and 11 a. m.

ST. AGNES'
46 Que Street N.W.
(Fla. Ave. or North Capitol St. Car.)
REV. V. O. ANDERSON, RECTOR.
Sundays.
7:00 a. m.—Low Mass.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Sung Mass and Sermon.
8:00 p. m.—Evensong. Benediction.
Week Days.
7:00 a. m.—Low Mass, every day.
9:30 a. m.—Low Mass, Thursday.
8:00 p. m.—Intercessions, Fridays

Washington Cathedral
Wisconsin and Massachusetts Avenues and Woodley Road.
Holy Communion 7:30 a. m.
Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon, Preacher, Canon Stokes 11:00 a. m.
People's Evensong and Sermon, Preacher, The Bishop of Washington 4:00 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
LAFAYETTE SQUARE
CLERGY.
The Rev. OLIVER J. HART, D. D., Rector
The Rev. JAMES F. MADISON, Curate.
8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.
9:45 a. m.—Church School.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon by the rector.
7:45 p. m.—Special Carol Service, December 31, at 8:15 p. m. Organ Recital.
VISITORS WELCOME.

ST. ANDREW'S V AND NEW HAMPSHIRE
Rev. A. J. Wilder, S. T. B., Rector.
Services, 8, 9:30 and 11 a. m.
NEW YEAR'S DAY, 11 a. m.

Church of The Epiphany
1317 G St. N.W.
REV. Z. B. PHILLIPS, D. D., LL. D.
Rev HARRY LEE DOLL, B. D.
8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m.—Church School.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon by the Rector.
8:00 p. m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon by the Rev. Mr. Doll.

UNITARIAN.

ALL SOULS' CHURCH
Sixteenth and Harvard Streets
Minister
ULYSSES G. B. PIERCE, D. D.
9:45 a. m.—Church School.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
"Revelation Through Personality"
5:00 p. m.—Program of Christmas Music.
5:30 p. m.—"The Romance of Cape Cod."—Rev. H. G. Ives.
7:30 p. m.—Motion-Picture Hour. "WILD CARGO."

Presbyterian

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN
Southern General Assembly
16th and Irving Sts. N.W.
REV. JAMES H. TAYLOR, D. D., PASTOR.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship, Sermon by Dr. Taylor.
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship. Sermon by Dr. Taylor

SERVICE FRANCAIS
New York Avenue Church.
13th and N Sts. and New York Ave.
Dr. Florian Vurpillot, Fondateur et Pasteur Honoraire de la Conregation Francaise.
Andre Frank Liotard, Pasteur.
Dimanche a 4 heures sermon par M. Liotard.

COVENANT-FIRST
Connecticut Ave. at 18th & N Sts. NW.
Dr. ALBERT JOSEPH McCARTNEY.
Rev. SAMUEL R. ALLISON.
Ministers.
Morning worship, 11 A. M.
"A GLANCE BACKWARD"
Dr. McCartney preaching.
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
New Year's Day Service 11 A. M.

NEW YORK AVENUE CHURCH
13th and H and N. Y. Ave.
Ministers:
DR. JOSEPH R. SIZOO
DR. ALBERT EVANS
11:00 A. M.—
"It Is Not Night"
8:00 P. M.—
"The Religious Significance of the Events of 1934"
Monday, 11 P. M.
Watch Night Service.

CHURCH OF THE PILGRIMS
ON THE PARKWAY
At 22d and P sts. nw.
Gift of the Presbyterians of the South to the Nation's Capital.
REV. ANDREW REID BIRD
Minister.
Divine Worship at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO YOU.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL SOUTH.

Mount Vernon Place
Southern Methodism's Representative Church
Massachusetts Ave. at Ninth St. N.W.
11:00 a. m.—"Holy Ground."
8:00 p. m.—"Life's Dreams Completed."
DR. W. ANGIE SMITH

UNIVERSALIST.

UNIVERSALIST NATIONAL MEMORIAL CHURCH
Cor. 16th and S Sts. N.W.
Rev. Frederic W. Perkins, D. D.
10:15—Church School.
11:00—Service of Worship.
"What Does Not Pass"
Communion Service
National Capital Choir.
Albert W. Harned, Mus. Doc.

CHRISTIAN.

THE NATIONAL CITY
Thomas Circle.
Dr. R. H. Miller, Rev. J. R. Mills, Ministers.
9:45 a. m.—Bible School.
10:50 a. m.—The Challenge of Uncertainty.
7:45 p. m.—Fighting the Stars.

COLUMBIA HEIGHTS CHRISTIAN CHURCH
The
WILSON-WALKER
Meetings
Will Begin
January 6, 1935

• Christian Science •
Churches of Christ Scientist, Branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, Columbia rd. and Euclid st.
Second Church of Christ, Scientist, 111 C st. ne.
Third Church of Christ, Scientist, 13th and L sts. nw.
Fourth Church of Christ, Scientist, 16th and Meridian sts. nw.
SUBJECT:
"CHRISTIAN SCIENCE"
SERVICES:
SUNDAY, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL, 11 a. m.
WEDNESDAY EVENING MEETINGS, 8 o'clock.
READING ROOMS:
FIRST CHURCH, 730 17th st. nw. Hours, 9 to 9 (except Wednesdays, 9 to 7, and Sundays and holidays, 2:30 to 5:30).
SECOND CHURCH, 111 C st. ne.—Hours, 1:30 to 5:30 week days; 2:30 to 5:30 Sundays and holidays.
THIRD CHURCH, Colorado Bldg., 14th and G sts.—Hours, 9:30 to 9 (except Wednesdays, 9:30 to 7:30; Sundays and holidays, 2:30 to 5:30).
FOURTH CHURCH, Tivoli Bldg., 3313 14th st.—Hours, 9 to 9 week days; Wednesdays, 9 to 7:30; Sundays, 2:30 to 5:30; holidays, 2:30 to 7:30.
All are welcome to attend our church services and use our reading rooms.

Washington Churches Arrange Special Programs to Herald New Year

Grace Baptist Will Celebrate 50th Birthday

All Organizations Will Take Part in Services Starting Tomorrow.

The fiftieth anniversary of its organization, December 30, will be celebrated by the Grace Baptist Church, Ninth and South Carolina avenue southeast, on Sunday and Monday. All organizations of the church will participate under direction of the pastor, the Rev. F. W. Johnson.

The Bible school, under leadership of J. T. Miller, will have their anniversary exercises at 9:30. At 11 o'clock there will be a brief history of the 50 years and Rev. E. Hez Swem will preach. At 7:45 the deacons will be in charge and the speaker will be former Gov. C. W. Brough, of Arkansas. Monday night at 8:30 services will be in charge of the ladies of the church, with Dr. J. C. Ball, of the Metropolitan Church, and the Rev. Hubert Bunyea bringing greetings. At 10:30 the young people will take charge, Mr. William Rice, president of the B. Y. P. U. Federation, directing. The anniversary services will close with a watch night meeting. The church had 33 charter members. It now has 950. The present auditorium was built during the pastorate of the Rev. F. W. Johnson, who is on his twenty-ninth year as pastor, and during that time received 1,692 members and raised $326,792. It is without debt.

Metropolitan Baptist Church, Sixth and A streets northeast, Dr. John Compton Ball, pastor. At the 11 a. m. service tomorrow the Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Bostick, who are missionaries en route to the West Coast, where they will soon sail for Wusih, China, will speak on their projected work. They will also speak at the services at 7:45 p. m.

The Rev. Bostick will also speak before the Young Peoples Societies at 6:45 p. m.

Tuesday at 7:45 p. m. the Philathea and Fidelis Bible classes will meet for monthly business meetings, followed by a social hour.

Thursday at 7 p. m. the teachers and officers of the Bible School will hold a lesson discussion, with Mr. S. Cranston in charge. The pastor will lead prayer and praise services following the meeting.

Bethesda Baptist Church—"The Magic or 1935 Unfolding the Spiritual Significance of the New Year," will be the subject of the New Year's address, which the Rev. B. M. Osgood, pastor of the Bethesda Baptist Church, will deliver at the gospel service to be held next Sunday at 7:45 p. m. in the hall of the Masonic Temple, 7002 Wisconsin avenue, Bethesda. By request members of the Brown family, known as "the Brownies," will sing several selections.

"Another Chapter in the Book of Life" will be the pastor's sermon topic for the service of morning worship to be held at 11:15 a. m. in the same hall.

The Sunday school, Mr. John J. H. Poole, superintendent, will meet at 10:15 a. m.

First Baptist Church of Hyattsville, Hyattsville, Md.—The Rev. B. P. Robertson, pastor, "Retrospect, Introspect and Prospect" will be the pastor's sermon topic at the 11 a. m. service tomorrow. It will be the New Year message.

At 8 p. m. tomorrow a student night will be observed, with students giving the entire program.

Second Baptist Church, Third street between H and I streets. The twenty-fifth anniversary of the ordination of the Rev. J. L. S. Holloman to the ministry will be observed. The Rev. R. A. Bishop, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Rich Square, N. C., will preach at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. tomorrow.

A special service will be conducted tomorrow at 3:30 p. m., the Rev. J. M. Ellison, pastor of Zion Baptist Church, giving a sermon. The choir of Zion Church will sing.

Chevy Chase Baptist Church, the Rev. Edward O. Clark, pastor. "Significant Events of 1934" will be the subject of the pastor's sermon at the morning service. In the evening he will speak on "I Press On."

"The Passion Play of Oberammergau," an illustrated lecture, will be given by Page McK. Etchinson, religious work director of the Y. M. C. A., at 9 p. m. Monday. Following a social period a service of consecration will be held until midnight.

Fifth Baptist Church, E street near Seventh street southwest, Dr. John E. Briggs, pastor. At 11 a. m. tomorrow Dr. Briggs will speak on "Daily Strength for Daily Needs."

At 7:45 p. m. Joseph Sorrell and Dr. Briggs will show motion pictures of Bethlehem and Jerusalem.

West Washington Baptist Church, Thirty-First and N streets northwest, the Rev. C. B. Austin, pastor. The pastor will speak on "My New Year Wish," at 11 a. m. tomorrow, and at 8 p. m., student night will be observed. Addresses will be by four college students, John Howard, Jean Kardell, Grover Everett and George Tabor.

The church will hold its annual covenant meeting Thursday at 7:45 p. m. in the Sunday School House.

Dance Is Arranged By Mission Crusade

At a meeting of the publicity committee of the Catholic Students Mission Crusade further plans were made for the annual dance of the C. S. M. C. to be held at the Mayflower Hotel on February 8, 1935. Miss Agnes K. Naughten, chairman of publicity, appointed the following subcommittees: Miss Kathleen Keehan, Miss Helen Holebrook, Miss Mary Pauls, Miss Margaret O'Donohue, Miss Marion Harden and Miss Ruth Buchanan.

4,000 Shut-Ins Received Gifts Of Federation

Four thousand persons in Washington were made a bit happier on Christmas Day, when they were handed a plump Christmas stocking, filled with nuts and candy and distributed by the Washington Federation of Churches.

They were people shut in on Christmas in hospitals, in the District jail or at home, with no opportunity to speak of, to join in the general Christmas festivities.

Since 1929, when 800 stockings were distributed to shut-ins, the total has leaped to the present number, according to Mrs. E. W. Murray, hospital worker of the church federation, who has charge of the work.

Other activities of the federation included the trimming of ten gaily lighted trees at Gallinger Hospital. Twenty family baskets were filled to overflowing and distributed to destitute families.

Mothers in hospital wards received bundles of washcloths, soap and toothbrushes.

Approximately 200 young people of the participating churches took part.

'Science' Text For Tomorrow Is From Isaiah

'Christian Science' Subject of Lesson-Sermon in All Its Churches.

"Christian Science" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all the Churches of Christ, Scientist, tomorrow. The Golden Text is from Isaiah 52:10: "The Lord hath made bare His holy arm in the eyes of all the nations; and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God." Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "I am come a light into the world, that whosoever believeth on me should not abide in darkness." (John 12:46).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian, Science Text Book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Our system of mind-healing rests on the apprehension of the nature and essence of all being—on the divine mind and love's essential qualities."

Universalist National Memorial—"What Does Not Pass" is the sermon theme for the last service of the old year by the Rev. Dr. Frederic W. Perkins at the Universalist National Memorial Church at Sixteenth and S streets tomorrow at 11 o'clock. Following the sermon will be the New Year's communion service.

Dr. Frank W. Ballou, superintendent of schools, is to address the Optimist Club, of which he is a member, on Wednesday evening. The subject of Dr. Ballou's talk is the "Character Education Program for Washington," giving details of the experiment now in progress which is receiving Nation-wide attention in educational and social service fields. The meeting of the club has been changed to Wednesday to avoid conflict with the New Year's Day holiday.

The Boy Scout Troop will meet on Friday at 7:30 in the Weston room of the parish house.

Church of the Reformation—The Church of the Reformation will have a home-coming service tomorrow at 11 a. m. to which all members and friends of Reformation have been especially invited. Dr. Oscar F. Blackwelder, the pastor, will speak on the theme, "Blessed Be the Tie."

A special fellowship service, celebrating the New Year, will be held tomorrow at 8 p. m., at which Dr. Blackwelder will preach on the subject, "Is Life Worth Living?"

Reginald Brooks, a mountain missionary, will address the Luther League tomorrow at 6:45 p. m. on the topic, "My Mountain Experiences." The Luther League will have a party next Saturday evening.

Memorial United Brethren Church, North Capitol and R streets, the Rev. Simpson B. Daugherty, D. D., minister. The minister will preach at the 11 a. m. service tomorrow on "Things That Can Not Be Shaken." In the evening at 8 o'clock the theme of Dr. Daugherty's sermon will be "Good-by Past, Good Morning Future."

The choir will sing special music at both services. Union watch night services will be held Monday evening at 11 o'clock.

First Brethren, Twelfth and E streets southeast, Homer A. Kent, pastor. "An Untrodden Path" will be the sermon topic by the pastor at the 11 a. m. services tomorrow.

The Christian Endeavor Society will meet tomorrow at 6:45 p. m., followed by services at 7:45 p. m., with a sermon by the pastor, "Adorning the Doctrine of God in 1935."

Church of Christ—Evangelist James H. McBroom will preach tomorrow at 3460 Fourteenth street at 11 a. m., on "Strong in the Lord," and at 7:45 p. m. on "The Suffering Kingdom."

Potomac Heights Community Church—Cathedral avenue and Conduit road, the Rev. O. J. Randall, pastor. The pastor will speak on "Looking Six Ways," at the 11 a. m. services. At 8 p. m. the question box will be opened and three important questions answered. Monday evening, from 10 to 12 o'clock, a watch night service will be conducted, the theme being on the topic, "Hanging Up a New Calendar."

All Souls Church (Unitarian), Sixteenth and Harvard streets—The Rev. Ulysses G. B. Pierce, D. D., minister, will return to the pulpit tomorrow and at 11 a. m. will speak on "The Word Became Flesh: Revelation Through Personality." In the adult class in current religious thought, Mrs. Robert H. C. Kelton will continue the discussion of psychical research. Immediately after the morning service, the Lend-a-Hand Society will hold its monthly meeting. A program of Christmas music has been arranged for the quiet period at 5 p. m. followed by the Rev. Henry G. Ives, of Pittsfield, Mass., speaking on "The Romance of Cape Cod." Supper will be served at 6 p. m.

A candlelight pageant service welcoming the New Year will be presented at 11:30 p. m. Monday. This will be preceded by an entertainment at which "The Constant Nymph," an English film based on Margaret Kennedy's famous novel, will be shown. At the dinner meeting of the Washington chapter, Unitarian Laymen's League, Thursday night, Judson King will speak on "Power and Politics." A Russian film, "In the Land of the Soviets," with explanatory English titles will be shown Friday and Saturday nights in Pierce Hall.

Capt. Parker Selects Looking Ahead as Topic

"Looking Ahead" will be the topic of Capt. Clyde Parker at services of the Volunteers of America tomorrow afternoon in the relief mission at 471 Pennsylvania avenue northwest.

Services will continue each Wednesday night in the mission under the direction of the Rev. G. W. Raines.

Grace Church Will Observe Year's Closing

"Is the World Growing Better?" Is Text of Morning Sermon.

Services commemorating the closing of the year will be conducted in Grace Lutheran Church tomorrow. Sunday school will convene at 9:45 a. m. under the leadership of Frank Stutz, recently reelected to serve as superintendent. At 11 a. m. the pastor will preach, taking for his theme the question: "Is the World Growing Better?"

In connection with next Sunday's services, beginning the year, Holy Communion will be celebrated. At the same time the newly elected officers of the church council will be installed.

Christ Lutheran, Sixteenth and Gallatin streets northwest, the Rev. J. Frederic Wenchel, pastor. At the 11 a. m. service the pastor will speak on "Do Protestants Give the Blessed Virgin the Glory That Is Due to Her?" The Christmas music will be repeated. The Mission Circle will have a devotional and business meeting on Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. On Sunday morning the following officers for the year 1935 will be installed: President, Martin Behrens; vice president, Louis Dismer; secretary, Paul Naefe; financial secretary, Max Horn; treasurer Ralph A. Norton; trustee, William Strasser.

St. Mark's Lutheran, Eighth street and Independence avenue southwest, the Rev. J. Luther Frantz, pastor. The sermon topic at the 11 a. m. services tomorrow will be "A Good Beginning. At 6 p. m. a fellowship tea will be held, together with the Luther League, led by Frederick Foster. Wednesday at 8 p. m. a meeting of the church council and Ladies Aid Society will be held.

Luther Place Memorial Lutheran Church, Thomas Circle, Dr. Carl C. Rasmussen, minister. At the 11 a. m. service the minister's subject will be "Hitherto Hath the Lord Helped Us." At 6:45 p. m. the Christian Endeavor Society will meet. At 7:50 p. m. tomorrow a prayer service will be held, led by the pastor.

Challenge of '35 Dr. Stockdale's Sermon Topic

Choir of 60 Voices to Be Heard at Morning and Evening Services.

Dr. Allen A. Stockdale, pastor of the First Congregational Church, Tenth and G streets northwest, will preach at 11 a. m. on "It Has Become History." His sermon subject for the evening service at 8 o'clock will be "The Challenge of the New." The vested choir of 60 voices, under the direction of Ruby Smith Stahl, will sing at both services, with Paul DeLong Gable at the organ.

The Young People's Society will meet at 6:30 in the east parlor. Miss Gail Whiton will lead, and her subject is "Another Year Gone—What Are Our Gains and Losses?"

On New Year's Eve a watch night service will be held in the church auditorium from 11 to 12 o'clock, with special music by Mr. Gable, organist; Malcolm P. Toone, violinist, and Iva Hockenberry Toone, soloist. Dr. Stockdale will conduct the service and speak briefly.

The Virginia Circle will hold a luncheon meeting Thursday at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Arthur Smith, 1806 Westmoreland street, Rosslyn, Va.

The church night supper and midweek service will be held Thursday evening, with supper at 6 o'clock. At 6:45 a meeting of the society will be held for the nomination of officers to be presented as candidates at the annual meeting. Following the meeting of the society, Dr. Stockdale will speak on "The Modern Nehemiah Spirit."

Lincoln Congregational Temple—At the services of Lincoln Congregational Temple Sunday morning, Dr. R. W. Brooks will speak on the subject, "Breaking Records." The vested chorus choir, directed by Henry L. Grant, will render special musical selections.

The Men's Brotherhood will assemble at 10 a. m. After brief devotional exercises, the pastor will conduct a symposium on "What of the New Year?" The Young People's Christian Endeavor Forum will hold a union service with the young people of the Cleveland Park Congregational Church at 7 p. m. The group from the Cleveland Park church will have charge of the program. Mr. Forbes Burges will preside. A social period will follow.

The annual watch service will be held Monday evening, beginning at 10 o'clock. The deacons will have charge of the devotional period. The pastor will give a brief message. The public is invited to share all of these services.

Blessing of Sick Set for Tomorrow

Immaculate Conception Announces Church Services

The solemn Lourdes Procession and the Blessing of the Sick service will take place at the Immaculate Conception Church, N street at Eighth northwest, tomorrow at 5 p. m.

The Rev. John Keating Cartwright, D. D., will preside, with the Rev. Francis P. Harrity assisting. Prof. Harry Wheaton Howard will direct the music with James Nolan as the soloist and Norman DeMeza rendering the Lourdes Hymn. The Very Rev. Ignatius Smith will give another of his series of sermons on "Liberty."

Masses will be held at 5, 6, 6:45, 7:30, 9 and 10:15, and 11 a. m. Tuesday. The last mass will be at 12:15 p. m.

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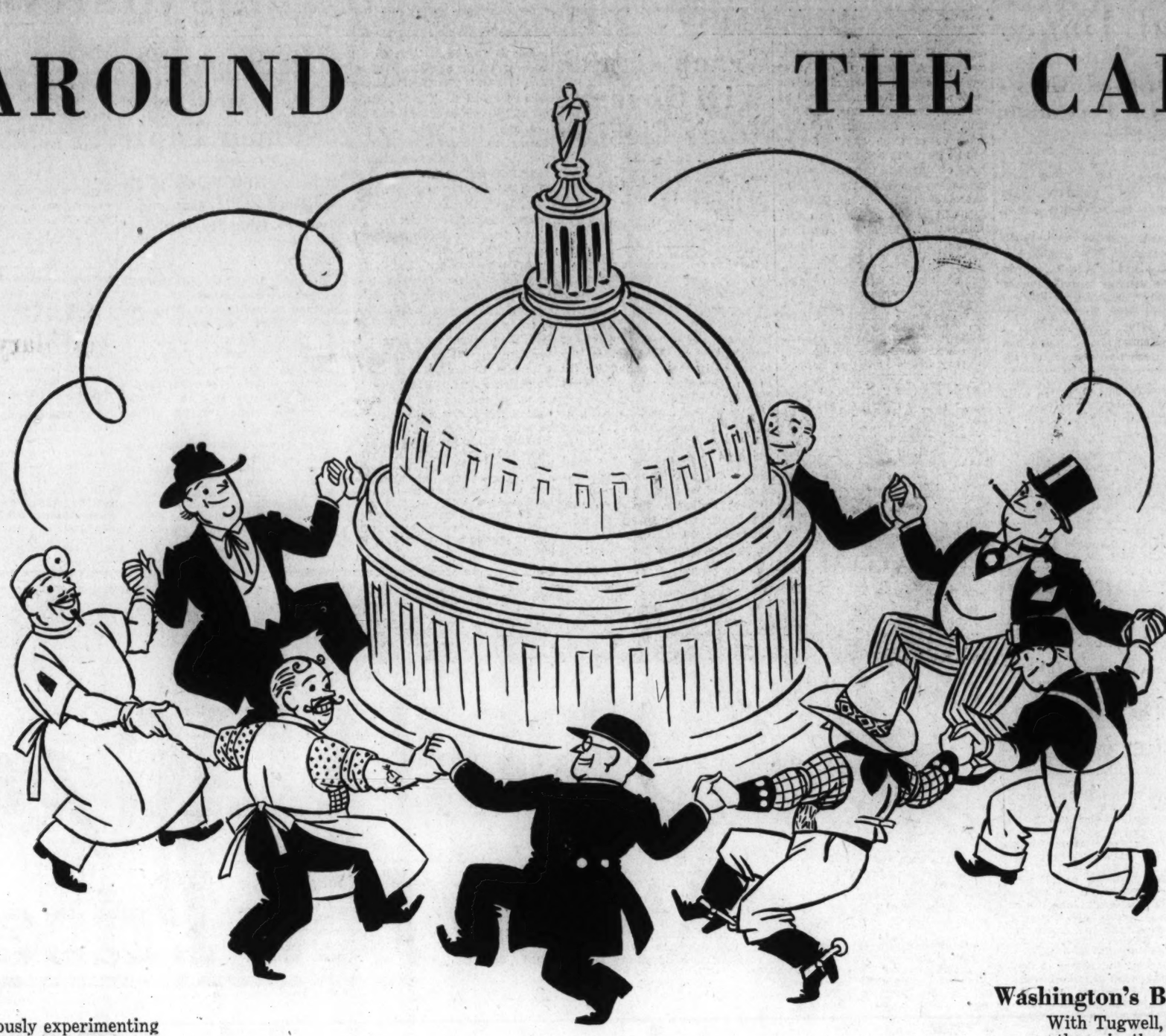

WITH the two-ring Congressional circus about to begin its 1935 performance up on Capitol Hill, let's have a look at a few of the actors who will wrestle with such difficult feats as balancing the budget, walking the tight-wire of public opinion and carrying water on both shoulders. What are the personalities of these men . . . these former lawyers, merchants, farmers, preachers, bartenders, coal miners, bankers and cowboys who enact the legislation of a Nation?

Robert Talley, gathering material from dozens of sources, in tomorrow's Post paints a broad picture of the seventy-fourth Congress members, many of whom are new to Washington. He tells of the old days in Congress, too, when bar-rooms flourished in the Capitol basement, hot apple pies were sold in the corridors, and Washington was just a cleared swamp, with three streams to ford between the White House and Capitol.

Be sure to read this entertaining, informative article . . . in the Special Articles Section of tomorrow's Sunday Post.

White Plague Conquered?

American scientists are cautiously experimenting with a new vaccine which already has saved untold thousands of lives in Europe . . . and which may eventually relegate the White Plague to oblivion.

Special Articles Section

Cut-Rate Pleasure Palace

If you go in for gambling, it costs you less to lose your shirt in Monte Carlo this year. Mademoiselle Zero is suppressed for half an hour each day, and the gilded casino charges no admission for the privilege of taking a long chance.

Feature Section

Singapore for Safety

England has spent sixty millions establishing at Singapore a naval and aviation base to repel any invasion. Ben H. Miller discusses the war games there, and the effect of Britain's policy on the Far Eastern question.

Special Articles Section

The Seamy Side

To the average Occidental mind, Singapore provokes reveries of pirates and plunderers, popping guns, drunken sailors in squalid cabarets. This writer says it isn't so, and offers a new picture of the much-maligned "haven of vice."

Special Articles Section

Hunters, History, Hollywood

You'll like the Rotogravure Section this week . . . particularly the scenes of hunting with pointers on the Wicomico River, the thrilling "Pageant of America" . . . and an unusual collection from Hollywood.

Rotogravure Section

Double Death

Not even Uncle Sam's secret agents ever learned the reason for the brutal slaying of two young entomologists of the Department of Agriculture. But the killer filched a turkey . . . and the gobbler led to his capture and conviction.

Feature Section

Tomorrow—Sunday

Rolling Home

Home is where the heart is, and when the heart is filled with wanderlust, there's nothing for home to do but tag along. H. L. Blair, is an entertaining story, tells about his "home on wheels."

Feature Section

"Red Network"

Slowly, insidiously, the "Red Network" of Communism spreads among workers, soldiers and sailors in an effort to overthrow our present form of government. Here is an informative, thought-provoking article on a topic of the day.

Special Articles Section

1934 Sports Parade

With new champions crowned, old ones forgotten, terrific upsets in all fields, this has been a great sports year. Tomorrow's Post presents a special 1934 Sports Parade with your favorite writers giving you all the dope . . . and six pages of pictures!

Sports Section

Washington's Beau Brummell

With Tugwell, Pershing, La Follette and a dozen others in the running, the election of Washington's best dressed man has become a regular free-for-all. But we've remained calm and collected a lot of data . . . and the winner will be announced in The Post tomorrow!

Main News Section

Hauptmann on Trial

Bruno Hauptmann goes on trial for murder this week. Here is a colorful, accurate description of the drama as prosecution and defense gather their forces just before the battle.

Special Articles Section

Go West, Young Actress!

If the American theater is anemic, it's because the movies have drained away its life's blood. Frances Fink tells the story of the chorus girls and others who desert Broadway to clamber on to the Hollywood bandwagon.

Feature Section

Harassed Hitler

Germany faces her most serious crisis since the World War . . . and Hitler has his hands full, with the economic structure of the Third Reich tottering and personal jealousies of high Nazis threatening to burst into civil warfare.

Special Articles Section

Year Out, Year In

Folks may be gloomy all year, but when New Year's Eve comes, they just must be gay! The old year dies unsung, and the new one is welcomed to the accompaniment of tin horns, rattles, whistles and sirens.

Feature Section

"The Alleged Great Aunt"

Here's a refreshingly different mystery! Not a single murder, but suspense . . . thrills . . . youth . . . romance . . . action aplenty! Don't fail to begin this unusual novel Sunday . . . written by three brilliant authors.

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Miss McKenna Presented To Society at Dance

Several Hundred Attend Ball at Mayflower, Katherine Brown Feted; Mrs. Harry Flood, of Winchester, Entertains at Sulgrave Club.

By Evelyn Peyton Gordon.

The debutante festivities go on at the same hectic pace which they set early in the winter, and, surprisingly enough, the debutantes look as fresh as when they started.

Mrs. David Stewart Hendrick entertained at a large dance last night at the Mayflower Hotel to present her granddaughter, Miss Bambie McKenna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Royal T. McKenna, to Capital society.

Mrs. Hendrick and her granddaughter were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. McKenna and Miss Florence Betty Hess, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Fisher, of Detroit, a guest of Miss McKenna. Mrs. Hendrick wore a handsome gown of black velvet and lace, with a shoulder bouquet of gardenias, and Mrs. McKenna was in a gown of black velvet, with a bodice and short cape of black paillettes. She wore a corsage of orchids.

Several Hundred Attend.

The debutante wore a filmy gown of white chiffon sprinkled with brilliants and fashioned on Grecian lines with a brief train and a belt of brilliants. She wore a corsage of white orchids, which her cousin, Miss Patti Warfield Edmonston, of Baltimore, a debutante of two seasons ago, had sent her, and carried an arm bouquet of Belmont gardenias.

The guests, which numbered several hundred, were received in the Chinese room which was decorated with palms, ferns, and masses of poinsettias, and flowers sent to the debutante.

Preceding the ball numerous dinners were given including that which Mr. and Mrs. McKenna gave at the Mayflower for Miss McKenna and Miss Hess, and that at which they entertained a small group of guests in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Fisher, of Detroit.

Assisting Miss McKenna were Miss Valeria Prochnik, Miss Christine B. Long, Miss Ruth Sowers, Miss Louise Myers, Miss Dorothy Marlatt, Miss Katherine Meyer, Miss Ruth Ellen Patton, Miss Stellita Stapleton, Miss Emlen Davies, Miss Martha Davidge, Miss Diana Rowland, Miss Frida Frazer, Miss Jane Esther Platt, Miss Emily Maddox, Miss Estherbelle McHarg, Miss Moss Lee Love, Miss Fontaine Flannery, Miss Marguerite DuPont Lee, Miss Mary Ann McFarland, Miss Emily Moore and Miss Virginia Rodgers.

In a group of Baltimore girls assisting were Miss Patti Edmonston, Miss Frances Pine, Miss Elizabeth Treide, Miss Adelaide Birchhead, and Miss Helen Knox.

The Floor Committee.

The floor committee was composed of Mr. Daniel Cox Fahey, Lieut. Fletcher Cole, Lieut. Frederick Coleman, Mr. William DuBose Sheldon, Mr. Murray Preston, Mr. Henry C. Rowland, Mr. Monroe Clark, Mr. Eric Raster, Baron Hans von Dreyhausen, Mrs. Rudolph Kauffman, Mr. Camp Stanley Huntington, Mr. Stanley F. Reed, jr., Mr. Malcolm Matheson, jr., Mr. Philip Bateson, Mr. Cole McFarland, Mr. William Bell, Mr. Blair Bolles, Midshipman Charles E. Foust, Mr. A. L. Luttrell, Mr. Randolph Leigh, jr., and Mr. William Laird Dunlop 3d.

Also on the floor committee were Dr. Henry Cotton, Mr. Charles H. Edmonston, Mr. Jonathan Pine, Mr. George Treide, Mr. J. Edward Tyler 3d, and Mr. William Pearce, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Spaulding Flannery entertained at a dinner for Miss Katherine Brown, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wrisley Brown, when their guests were Miss Fontaine Flannery, Miss Virginia Flannery, Miss Peggy Glide, of California, guest of Miss Brown; Miss Sidney Beall, Miss Marbury Beall, Mr. Robert Parsons, Mr. Oliver Gasch, Mr. Lindsay Moss, Mr. Stanley Huntington, Mr. Arthur Meigs, Mr. Charles A. McKenney, jr., Mr. Emery Wilbur and Mr. Asa Philips.

Mrs. Henry Flood, of Winchester, Va., who is spending the holidays here, entertained at a dinner in the Sulgrave Club for her daughter, Miss Eleanor Flood, in honor of Miss Christine Long, daughter of the United States Ambassador to Italy and Mrs. Breckinridge Long, and Miss Westwood Byrd, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Harry F. Byrd.

Erwins Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons Erwin also entertained at a dinner at the Mayflower for Miss Betty Anne Erwin and Miss Mona Dugas, who are visiting them for the holidays, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dodge gave a dinner in their home on Kalorama road for Miss Mary Ellen Corby, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Corby.

Mrs. Daniel C. Stapleton entertained Thursday at a dance in the Sulgrave Club for her debutante daughter, Miss Stellita Stapleton, who was presented to society at a tea on Thanksgiving Day in their home on Massachusetts avenue.

The clubhouse was decorated throughout with frosted Christmas trees and foliage, poinsettias, holly, mistletoe and other evergreens. The hostess received with her daughter, Mrs. Mae Hamilton, sister of the hostess, and Miss Exilona Hamilton, a niece of the hostess.

Mrs. Stapleton wore a gown of black velvet with a bodice of black paillettes and a corsage of orchids, and the debutante wore a Vionnet model of brilliant cherry red chiffon fashioned with a wide skirt of graduated pleats, and a bodice of taffeta trimmed with large bows of the same material. On her wrist were two camellias, one the shade of her frock, and the other of palest pink. Mrs. Hamilton was in a gown of white brocade and Miss Hamilton wore jade green crystelle velvet with trimmings of silver cloth.

There was a floor committee of young men whose duty it was to see that each of the girls present had plenty of partners. This group included Mr. Frank Hamilton, Mr. John Hamilton, jr., Mr. Randolph Kauffmann, jr., Mr. Richard Lunn, Mr. Frederick Hunt, Mr. Samuel Biddle, Lieut. Frederick Coleman, Lieut. Fletcher Cole, Mr. Frank Hight, jr., Mr. Joshua Evans, Mr. Tinsley Adams, Mr. Rogello Alfaro, Mr. William Mitchell, Mr. James Mitchell and Mr. William Osborne.

A supper of delicious hot dishes was served from the buffet in the dining room at small tables, and the dancing continued until the early morning hours.

Elizabeth Smith And Lt. Griffin To Marry Today

Ceremony in Annapolis Attracts Interest in Naval Circles.

A wedding of interest in naval circles of Annapolis, Md., Washington and elsewhere will take place this afternoon at 4 o'clock in Christ Church, Baltimore, when Miss Elizabeth Marsden Smith, daughter of Mrs. Nairn Smith, of New York, and Mr. E. Marsden Smith, will become the bride of Lieut. John H. Griffin, U. S. N., son of Commodore Thomas D. Griffin, U. S. N., retired, and Mrs. Griffin, of Annapolis.

The bride will wear a gown of ivory satin made on princess lines with a long train and long, tight sleeves ending in points over her hands. The gown and tulle veil will be trimmed with heirloom Brussels lace.

Mrs. Stinson Matron of Honor.

The matron of honor will be Mrs. John W. Stinson, of Baltimore, and the maid of honor will be Miss Bertha Whitridge Smith, sister of the bride, and they will wear gowns of aquamarine waffle satin made on long lines with a wine-colored cord marking the waist line. Their velvet berets and slippers will also be of wine color and they will carry arm bouquets of African daisies.

The bridesmaids will be Miss Louise Claytor, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Claytor, of Washington, a cousin of the bridegroom; Miss Elizabeth Janney, and Mrs. Ambler Moss, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Hugh Smallwood, of New York. They will wear gowns of copper-colored waffle-satin, fashioned on the lines of the matron and maids of honor, with a wine colored cord at the waist. Their velvet berets and slippers will be of wine color and they will carry arm bouquets of African daisies.

Lieut. Herring Best Man.

The best man will be Lieut Griffin Herring, and the ushers will be Lieut. Edmund B. Taylor, Lieut. Charles A. Buchanan, Lieut. John K. Wells, Lieut. William G. Cooper, Lieut. Franklin D. Karns, jr., Lieut. Eugene S. Karpe, Lieut. James S. Byrne, and Lieut. Jesse Thares, of the United States Navy, who will wear full dress naval uniforms. The groomsmen will be Mr. Thomas Claytor Griffin, brother of the bridegroom; Mr. Richard Claytor, of Washington, cousin of the bridegroom; Mr. Manson Smith, brother of the bride, and Mr. Francis Gummey, of Philadelphia, cousin of the bridegroom.

Following the ceremony the bride and bridegroom will pass under the traditional arch of crossed swords as they leave the church.

A reception will follow at the home of the bride's paternal grandmother, Mrs. R. Manson Smith, on Warrenton Road, Baltimore. Later Lieut. Griffin and his bride will leave for a wedding trip.

Young Democrats Give Dance Tonight

One of the outstanding events of the holiday season in southern Maryland will be the Christmas dance of the Young Men's Democratic Club of Prince Georges County to be held at the Beaver Dam Country Club tonight.

Patronesses will be Mrs. Brice Bowie, Mrs. Mary W. Browning, Mrs. T. Howard Duckett, Mrs. William S. Hill, Mrs. M. Hampton Magruder, Mrs. Charles C. Marbury, Mrs. Joseph C. Mattingly, Mrs. G. W. S. Musgrave, Mrs. Irvin Owings, Mrs. Daisy F. La Coppidan, Mrs. Lansdale G. Sasscer and Mrs. William Stanley.

Daughter Born in Rome To Countess Roncalli

Word has been received from Rome that the Count and Countess Roncalli di Montorio are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter Thursday.

Count Roncalli was formerly First Secretary of the Italian Embassy here, and with his attractive young wife made his home in Georgetown. The Count and Countess Roncalli left more than a year ago for Rome, where the former is at the foreign office.

Sons of Harllee Branch Are Here for Holidays

Mr. and Mrs. Harllee Branch, of the Wardman Park Hotel, have with them for the holidays their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harllee Branch, jr., of Atlanta, and their son, Harllee 3d. Mr. James A. Branch, who has been in Indianapolis, Ind., several months, is also visiting them.

Attractive Diplomatic Matron and Son

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Mme. Wadsted, attractive wife of the Minister of Denmark, and her young son, Otto Gustavo, who recently arrived from Europe. Mme. Wadsted and her son passed the summer in Denmark and then visited in Paris for a month before coming to this country.

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Society Notes

The Ambassador of Japan, Mr. Hirosi Saito, will be host at tea this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the Embassy on Massachusetts avenue in honor of the members of the American Historical Association.

The Minister of the Netherlands, Jonkheer H. M. van Haersma de With, entertained at luncheon in the legation on Fifteenth street, in honor of the Most Rev. Francis Janssens, abbot general of the Cistercian order, who recently arrived from Holland.

The Secretary of War and Mrs. George H. Dern entertained at dinner last night in their home, Highwood, when their guests numbered 20.

Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, was the guest in whose honor Mrs. William H. Standley, wife of the Chief of Naval Operations, entertained at luncheon yesterday at their home at the Naval Observatory.

The guests, numbering 18, included Mrs. Daniel C. Roper, wife of the Secretary of Commerce.

Representative and Mrs. John F. Dockweiler have arrived at the Shoreham from their home in Los Angeles, Calif.

Former Ambassador to Italy and Mrs. Richard Washburn Child have arrived from their home in New York City, and are at the Carlton.

Senator-elect Thodore G. Bilbo, of Poplarville, Miss., is established at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Representative-elect Elmer I. Ryan, of St. Paul, Minn., and Mrs. Ryan are now in residence in their apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel for the Congressional session.

Mrs. Schlatter DeRoll At the Mayflower.

Mrs. Schlatter DeRoll, mother of Mr. Ernest Schlatter, attache of the Legation of Switzerland, is at the Mayflower for a few days.

Mrs. Emil Bonnelycke entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Carlton.

Mr. Edward C. Van Devanter will leave today for New York City to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson Nicholas.

Miss Barbara Davenport, of Clinton, N. Y., is at the Shoreham, where she joined her father, former Representative Frederick M. Davenport.

Miss Rita Hauck, Miss Sue Rohach and Miss Thelma Kistler, all of Cleveland, Ohio, and Miss Dorothy Herrmann, of Cleveland Heights, are occupying a suite at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Walton, of Norfolk, Va., are at the Carlton, accompanied by Mrs. William Brysant and Miss Margaret Fraser, also of Norfolk.

Dr. and Mrs. Douglas Johnson, of New York, have come to the Martinique for a stay of several weeks.

Mrs. Springer Yeazel, who is residing at the Shoreham for the winter, entertained 14 guests at dinner last night at the Bellevue Stratford Hotel in Philadelphia, where she is spending the holidays.

Canon and Mrs. William S. Turner, of Atlanta, Ga., are guests of the latter's parents, Col. and Mrs. William F. Pearson, in their home on Tracy place until after the New Year. Canon Turner will preach at the morning service in St. Thomas' Church tomorrow.

Miss Zola Splawn and Miss Mary Splawn entertained at tea yesterday afternoon in their residence, 3133 Connecticut avenue.

Assisting were Mrs. North Longfield, Mrs. Hale Darby, Miss Edar Fleming, Miss Genevieve Swift, Miss Elsie DuBois and Miss Isabelle Bonvillian.

Lieut. Robert A. Bell and Mrs. Bell have arrived at the Martinique from Salem, Va., for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lee Boatwright and small son are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. Boatwright's parents in Danville, Va.

Lieut. Comdr. Alfred P. Moran, jr., of Springfield Mass., is at the Martinique.

Mrs. Walter D. Wilcox Returns to New York.

Mrs. Walter D. Wilcox, who has been spending six weeks with Mr. Wilcox, has returned to New York for the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Edward W. Brown, of Plainfield, N. J., and her daughter, Miss Edna M. Brown, are at the Carlton.

Mr. and Mrs. August Frederick Eberly, jr., entertained a large company of guests at dinner at the Shoreham last night.

Mrs. Hyman Wimer and her daughter, Charlotte, are spending several days in Philadelphia as the guests of Mrs. Isaac Marcus.

Mrs. Hoggatt Clopton and her daughter, Mrs. Eloise Marshall Webb, will give a cocktail party in their apartment at the Shoreham today in honor of Mrs. Henry F. D. Davis, who will leave for California next month to join her husband, Commander Davis, who is on the staff of Admiral Reeves, Commander-in-Chief of the United States fleet.

Miss Hanna J. Boggs Is Hostess at Luncheon.

Miss Hannah James Boggs entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Brooks Tea Farms. The guests included Miss Helen Young, Miss Betty Reed, Miss Margaret Whitney, Miss Virginia Walton, Miss Doris Mitman, Miss Janet Cunneen, Miss Ruth Kelley, Miss Cappy Broughton and Miss Madeline King.

Mrs. Benjamin Smith and her son, Capt. Horace B. Smith, have as their guests in their apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel, Maj. and Mrs. Harris M. Melaskey, of Fort Leavenworth, Kans.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. MacCourt, of New York, are at the Mayflower Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Crum, of Derry, Pa., are spending a few days at the Martinique.

Mr. and Mrs. Northcutt Ely, of Alexandria, Va., are receiving congratulations on the birth of twin sons at the George Washington Hospital. Mr. Ely was Assistant Secretary of the Interior in the Hoover Administration.

Commander C. A. Lockwood entertained informally at luncheon yesterday at the Carlton. His guests numbered five.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stuart Patterson, of Philadelphia, are at the Carlton for a short stay.

Flora L. Lewis And Miss Booth Make N. Y. Bow

Officers' Club Is Scene of Tea Dance at Governors Island.

The Officers' Club at Governors Island, N. Y., was the scene of a tea dance Friday afternoon when Col. and Mrs. George Chase Lewis and Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Lucian Dent Booth presented their two daughters, Miss Flora Louise Lewis and Miss Catherine Tompkins Booth to society.

The hostesses were assisted in receiving by Mrs. James Clarke Manning, grandmother of Miss Lewis, and the debutantes were assisted by Miss Rosalie Williams, Miss Ann Simpson, Miss Barbara Bainbridge, Miss Mary Bissel, Miss Louise Herron, of Washington; Miss Elizabeth King Simeon, Miss Falvia Lee Pitroff, Miss Hebe Reynolds, Miss Juliet Baldwin, Miss Oramella Marvin-Smith and Miss Patricia Robinson.

Miss Lewis wore a gown of turquoise-blue taffeta and carried a bouquet of delphenium and lilies of the valley. Miss Booth had on a gown of white crepe, trimmed with kolinsky and she carried red roses. Mrs. Booth was wearing hunter's green, trimmed with gold, and a corsage of orchids. Mrs. Lewis was in Eleanor blue georgette and wore a corsage of yellow roses. Mrs. Manning's gown was of mauve satin and her shoulder corsage was of orchids.

Miss Lewis, on her father's side, is related to the families of Presidents Washington, Monroe and Adams. She was presented at the Court of St. James last spring by Mrs. Robert W. Bingham, wife of the United States Ambassador. Miss Booth is at present attending Junior College at Holton Arms School in Washington.

Miss English Fetes Pensacola Couple

Ensign and Mrs. Richard Poor Are Honored.

Miss Mildred English, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Merton A. English, entertained in her home on Massachusetts avenue yesterday afternoon from 4:30 to 7 o'clock in honor of her brother-in-law and sister, Ensign and Mrs. Richard Poor, of Pensacola, Fla., who are visiting the latter's parents. Before her wedding last summer, Mrs. Poor was Miss Margaret English, and was presented to Capital society with her sister last season.

Among those who assisted Miss English yesterday afternoon were Miss Katherine Pearson, Miss Mary Katharine Spinks, Miss Aileen Harris, Miss Betty Yost, Miss Lucille Elliott, Mrs. Edward Yonkers, Mrs. George Berry, Mrs. R. C. Buluer, of Annapolis, and Mrs. Marion Maus, of Baltimore.

Robert Party Leaves For Cruise to Nassau

The Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Lawrence W. Robert, jr., sailed yesterday aboard the Empress of Britain for a holiday cruise to Nassau. Mr. Sol Rosenblatt of the NRA., Mr. M. L. Cannon, of Charlotte, N. C., and former Senator John S. Cohen, of Atlanta, Ga., accompanied him. The party will return shortly after the New Year.

Mrs. Robert Imbrie Fetes Debutantes

Group Meets Matrons Visiting for Holidays.

Mrs. Robert Whitney Imbrie entertained at luncheon Thursday at the Carlton, when a group of the season's debutantes were asked to meet matrons visiting their families for the holidays.

Mrs. Imbrie's guests included Miss Valerie Prochnik, daughter of the Austrian Minister and Mme. Prochnik; Miss Louise Alexander, Miss Emlen Knight Davies and Mrs. Aldace Walker, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Davis; Miss Elizabeth Cochran, of Madison, Wis., house guest and niece of Mrs. Joseph E. Davis; Mrs. Guido Perera, daughter of the Chaplain of the United States Senate, and Mrs. Z. Barney Phillips; Miss Elizabeth Rowan, Miss Diana Rowland, Mrs. John Mein Carter, Mrs. Victor Alfaro, Mrs. Eugene Roberts, Miss Dorothy Sollers, Miss Teresita Aguello, Miss Gertrude Faust and Mrs. Macfarland Reid.

Dall Children Entertained at Afternoon Fete

Marionette Circus Is a Feature of Party at White House.

Mrs. Anna Roosevelt Dall entertained at an afternoon party in the White House for her son and daughter, Buzzie and Sistie Dall. Mr. Franc Still, of the Theater of the Wooden Soldier in Cleveland, presented a Marionette Circus to entertain the children, and later refreshments were served.

Those present were Bill and Mary Abbott, Joanna Alford, Johnny and Joan Baxter, Jacques Bernier, Tommy Blaisdell, Prevost Boyce, jr., and Carolyn Boyce, Ann Allen, Betty Ann Brookhart, Priscilla Burgess, Helen and Danny Cappell, John Caswell 3d, Peggy Lansdowne, John Dalton, Betsy Mary and J. Blaise de Sibour, jr., Katherine Douglas, Miguel Echegaray, Eleanor Evans, Barbara and Elton Fay, Betty Fleming, Jane Freeman, Emily Frost, Barbara Gapen, Alga Gazda, George Gourrich, Beebe Henderson, John Hinkley, Janet Howe, Hugh Johnston, Billy Lambert, Franklin K. Lane 3d, James Patrick Lane, Willmott Lewis, jr., Cornelia June Little, Marion Geraldine Lock, Connie Logan, Roddy Lucas, Anne MacCartney, Polly MacCartney, Calvert Magruder, Jean McPherson, Jack Monteith, Arthur and Neale Jane Nordstrom, Bobs Perkins, Polly Phipps Putnam, Frank Riley, Ruth Rodman, John Allison Rogers, Philip Ruppel, Tommy Selby, Anne and Bobby Shuman, Betty Smith, Stockwell Smith, Philo Smith, Richard Wright Southgate, jr., Patricia Southgate, Tillman Stirling, Charles Stone, Marie Thomas, Ann Thoron, Marcia Tugwell, Victor Villasenor, Peter Warburton, Philip Weaver, Carol Willett, Aline Williams and Alan F. David Castle and Donald Farlow Winslow.

Women Democrats Arrange Program

Song by C. S. Hamlin, of Reserve Board, Included.

The Woman's National Democratic Club will present Eva Whitford Lovette with a group of carol singers tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The program includes a song composed by Mr. Charles S. Hamlin, a member of the Federal Reserve Board. Mr. Hamlin has written a number of songs. The one to be used tomorrow was composed when he was president of the Apollo Club of Boston and was dedicated to the young woman who later became Mrs. Hamlin and is now president of the Woman's National Democratic Club. The cover on the music displays a view from Mrs. Hamlin's window. The words are written by Mr. John G. Saxe.

Judge and Mrs. Wolfe 'At Home' Tomorrow

Judge and Mrs. James H. Wolfe will be at home to their friends at the Women's Democratic Club, 1526 New Hampshire avenue, from 8 to 10 o'clock tomorrow evening. Judge Wolfe, who was elected to the Supreme Bench in Utah in the recent elections, is spending the holidays with his family at Belle Haven, Alexandria, Va. Mrs. Wolfe is acting director of the women's division of the Democratic national committee.

Mrs. Hicks Here For Several Days

Resident of Long Island Arrives With Son.

Mrs. Frederick C. Hicks and her son, Frederick Stevens Hicks, of Sands Point, Long Island, have arrived at the Shoreham to pass several days. They will go to Fort Monroe, Va., Monday to pass New Year's eve with Mrs. Hicks' daughter, Mrs. Paul Kelly, and Lieut. Kelly.

Mrs. Hicks, who formerly spent the winters in Washington, has leased her town house here to the Under Secretary of State and Mrs. William Phillips for the winter.

Luncheon Fetes Dorothy Letts And Mary Corby

Mrs. Guthrie and Mrs. Jones Entertain at Chevy Chase Club.

Mrs. William M. Guthrie and her sister, Mrs. Catherine Letts Jones, entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Chevy Chase Club in honor of Miss Dorothy Haney Letts, debutante niece of Judge and Mrs. F. Dickinson Letts, and Miss Mary Ellen Corby, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Corby.

The debutantes were seated at one long table decorated with poinsettias growing in low red pots, with holly arranged around them and at the base of the candelabra which held tall red tapers.

The guests were Miss Betty Angus, Miss Katherine Brown, Miss Mary Katherine Bentley, Miss Evelyn Chase, Miss Mary Elizabeth Damon, Miss Marjorie Jane Dampman, Miss Imogen Ficklen, Miss Betty Marsh, Miss Mary Tyler McCormack, Miss Bambie McKenna and her guest, Miss Hess; Miss Margaret McMullen, Miss Anne Powell Potts, Miss Randolph Richardson, Miss Mathilda Bruce Rodger, Miss Mary Katherine Spinks, Miss Louise Waller, Miss Marie Milnes Whitehurst, Miss Marjorie Walsh, Miss Elizabeth Zimmerman, Miss Mary Tilghman, Miss Emily Maddox, Miss Charlotte Brown, Miss Mary Winifred Brown, Miss Mary Jane Stanley, Miss Jane Ramsayer, Miss Charlotte Gregg and Miss Katherine Pearson.

Mrs. Guthrie, Mrs. Jones, their mother, Mrs. John C. Letts, Mrs. Corby and Mrs. F. Dickinson Letts were seated at a small round table which had the same decorations as those on the table of the debutantes

British Wedding Will Unite Two Old Families

Lady Catherine Willoughby Will Become Bride of John Ramsden.

Of interest to Washington is the announcement from London of the engagement of Lady Catherine H. D. Willoughby, daughter of the Earl and Countess of Ancaster, and Mr. John St. Maur Ramsden, son of Sir John and Lady Ramsden. The Countess of Ancaster is a daughter of the late Mr. William Lawrence Breese, of New York.

Lord Ancaster is lord lieutenant of Rutlandshire, a justice of the peace, and chairman of the Rutland County Council. With the Marquess of Cholmondeley and the Marquess of Lincolnshire, he shares the hereditary office of lord great chamberlain of England. His family seat, Grimthorpe Castle, in Rutlandshire, is one of the oldest and finest houses in England. The second Earl of Ancaster, the father of the bride-elect, is the twenty-fifth Lord Willoughby de Eresby, and thus the holder of one of the oldest peerages in England, dating from a few years after the Norman Conquest. Lady Ancaster is the former Miss Eloise Breese. Her brother, the late Mr. William Lawrence Breese, jr., of New York, married Miss Julia Kean Fish, sister of Representative Hamilton Fish. She now makes her home in Aiken, S. C.

Lady Catherine is 18 years of age. Her eldest brother, Lord Willoughby de Eresby, was married last spring to Miss Nancy Astor, daughter of Viscount and Viscountess Astor.

Mr. Ramsden, who is 32 years old, is the son of Sir John Frecheville Ramsden, sixth Baronet of Byrome, in Yorkshire. The high sheriff of Buckinghamshire, Sir John is a former captain in the Norfolk Yeomanry Regiment. Lady Ramsden is the former Miss Joan Buxton, daughter of the late Mr. Geoffrey Fowell Buxton.

Mrs. Totten Returns After Visit in Detroit

The United States Minister to the Union of South Africa, Mr. Ralph J. Totten, has been joined at the Mayflower Hotel by his mother, Mrs. James B. Totten, who has returned from a visit with another son, Mr. J. E. Totten, in Detroit, and a visit to her former home in Nashville, Tenn.

The minister and his mother will go to New York today and will sail Tuesday for South Africa.

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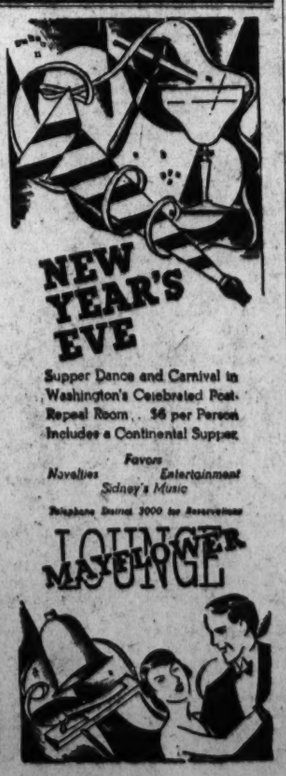

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- Devonshire Cocktelets . . 39c pkg.
- F. F. V. Hors d'Oeuvres 60c
- Ivins Tato-Chips . . . . . 59c lb.
- Keeblers Cheese Thins . . 39c pkg.
- Olives Stuffed with Anchovies, 2½ oz. 29c
- Olives Stuffed with Pimiento, 5½ oz., 27c; 7¾ oz., 29c; 16 oz., 49c
- Cresca English Sandwich Spread 29c
- Dorsay Cocktail Olives stuffed with onions 45c
- Russian Caviar—1½ oz. tin . . 42c 2 oz. glass jar 55c
- Smithfield Ham Spread—7 ozs. 75c

Street Floor

Kann's PANTRY CORNER

Warmth and Durability Should Guide Skiiers in the Selection of Their Costumes

Navy Blue Suits Or Dark Maroon Favored Most

Bright Woolens and Knit Wear Most Popular Accessories.

By M. A. Weiss.

AMERICA is infected with a new sport virus that makes the golf bug innocuous by comparison. Skating, skiing and tobogganning, once the occasional pastime of children when local weather conditions would permit, has been usurped by grown-ups who make it their most thrilling pleasure. Instead of waiting for the snow to fall, these snowbirds migrate northward as soon as the first nip hits the air.

A Norwegian writer said that snow is the confetti swept out of heaven to make carnival on earth. Winter carnivals have taken hold of youth and oldsters of both ages with an enthusiasm that knows no bounds. Your skiing family talks "take-offs," "Telemark turns," "form" and what not until the cows come home. They eat, drink, dress and talk skiing. Of course, there is the hotel skiier who does his stuff at the bar . . . even as the conversation golfer of springtime . . . but he too is intensely conscious of the sport and his costume is generally more "hi-fashion" than that of the lads and lassies who prefer workmanlike kits to all the dew-dads and gadgets.

Pastime Sweeping Country.

But winter sports, staged by the Pilgrim Fathers who learned snow shoeing from the Indians and skating from the Dutchman, is a typical, healthy, American pastime that is sweeping the country like a blanket of white sky-feathers.

From the land of the Norse, where ancient gods and goddesses were reputed to have indulged in skiing, most of our costumes originate, taking the route via St. Mortiz to Placid. Week-end excursion trains carry fans from New York, Chicago, Boston and other metropolitan centers to the winter playlands, and those locales upon which the sun shines continuously and warmly have their indoor skating rinks. So all eager to indulge in these invigorating sports are privileged without the barriers of purse or social caste.

The first caution in selecting a winter sports costume is to make sure that it can stand the gaff. It must be tough. You're going to take many a healthy tumble and remember that when you come zipping down an icy slide 40 or more miles per hour, a fluttering scarf in the wrong place or a weak strap may cause an injury, while fabrics that can't take it will cause embarrassment no end.

Ski Suits in Many Colors.

Bright woolens and knit wear are the most popular of accessories . . . warmth and color to add to the festive note.

Ski-suits are blouse and trouser affairs and may be bought in a variety of colors. Navy blue and dark maroon are the most popular. The trousers are high waisted and taper to the bottoms where a knitted band and in elastic strap under the instep keep them in place and prevent the ingress of snow. These are generally slide fastened and have adjustable ring bolt straps at the waistband.

The blouse is of the same material and color as the trousers or may contrast, and is built similiar to your windbreaker with the cossack collar and knit bottoms. These tuck inside the trouser. Melton cloth, suede cloth and heavy flannel mackinaw cloth are the favored fabrics. There has been a slight showing of white, washable suede cloth suits or jacket suits worn with odd ski trousers, seen at fashionable resorts, but these have not as yet been generally accepted.

Lumberjack Shirt Worn.

Your lumberjack's flannel shirt receives a big hand, as Telemark designed sweaters, socks and gloves or mittens. The smart note is to have the three matching. Knit ties are swell for wear around the lounge or spectator activities but not an essential for the active sport phase of enjoyment.

Heavy woolen stockings with gay Norwegian pais enlivening the boot top add to your comfort and appearance. The moccasin type of ski boot with solid toe-cap and thick soles are receiving recognition.

Fingerless string gloves worn under colorful hand-knitted coarse yarn mittens are becoming more popular. In fact, distinct designs (similar to the authentic plaids found in Scotch Tartans) are being sought after by enthusiasts. Many of the mittens favored by experts have leather palms and knitted backs. They stand the gaff better.

Caps run riot from the square visored ear-flapped model of the "pro-skier" to the Tyrolean of the porch lounger. Fur hats are in good taste and the club "stocking-hat" of childhood, with its brilliant pompom finds favor among the bob sledders and ski-jorers.

Talking about bob sledding, the fur or fleece lined "parka" of blanket cloth, with attached hood (remember the pictures of Eskimos?) are being worn in the most vivid color combinations.

Sweaters reach every variety and description. From turtle-necks to polo shirts. And the polo shirt of buckskin or chamois, lined with wool and with adjustable, long sleeves is about the most comfortable underneath garment you can wear. Wind can't penetrate it.

Great-coats, strange as it may seem, are seldom worn. The short-warm, with fur collars takes its place, since it gives adequate protection and allows a maximum of pedal freedom.

Tweeds Are Keynote.

Knickers are out of the winter sports picture, yet your ice skater wears a "knicker-breech" . . . sort of a combined knicker and riding breech which is not foolishly baggy and long, but trim and dignified. Tweeds, of course, are the keynote of spectator costumes. Heavy Harris or Irish Donegals predominate.

In conclusion, you may dress as colorfully as you like without being outre, but dress warmly. Good old-fashioned long flannels . . . yes, even red ones are acceptable even in the politest society, when the north wind pinches your cheeks as it howls through the pine-clad, snow hills.

Snow got in his eye . . . but not down his shoes or into his ski trousers. The club skating cap this chap wears pulls over the ears if it's too sharp.. His white suede cloth jacket with military collar and adjustable cuffs is quite the newest thing. His sweater, mittens and sox, the latter with gay-looking Norwegian pais around the top of the boot, enliven his snowbird outfit. Note that he wears knitted, fingerless gloves underneath his mittens. His tie is the knitted narrow French shape, with his club colors on the bias. His shirt is maroon lumberjack's flannel, and his trousers are a navy blue. You can't see it, but there's a knitted band at the bottom of the trousers and an elastic that goes under foot . . . so they can't hike up and admit snow.

What Today Means

"Capricorn."

IF DECEMBER 29 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 12 noon to 2 p. m., from 4 to 6 p. m. and from 8 to 10 p. m. The danger periods are from 9 to 11 a. m., from 2 to 4 p. m. and from 10 p. m. until midnight.

On this December 29 you may expect some very lucky breaks, as well as a pleasant surprise.

There is a likelihood of your being made the object of some good-natured joshing, but if taken gracefully the duration of it may be shortened considerably.

If a woman and December 29 is your birthday, it might prove wise for you not to allow people to get a wrong impression regarding your mental and physical alertness, through your assuming a poise that might be construed as an attitude of indifference toward almost all things in general.

The child born on December 29, usually when it passes the infancy age, displays remarkably strong traits of character, and with the proper guidance should develop into a splendid type of man or woman.

If a man and December 29 is your natal day, your ability to persevere under the most discouraging conditions will enable the overcoming of seemingly insurmountable obstacles. Your financial success should eventually be very gratifying. Journalism, law, painting, compilation of records or important statistics, should offer you profitable as well as interesting work. Married life is recommended for a man of your disposition.

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Child Chats

By Alice Fox Pitts.

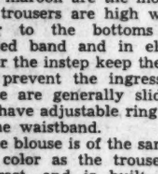
WHAT CAN a boy of 12, living in a hotel, do to amuse himself? Jaime Cestero, whose father is Minister of the Dominican Republica to Mexico, solved that problem admirably when The Post recently conducted a contest in which girls dressed dolls and boys made original toys to be distributed to needy children at Christmas.

With no tools at hand, Jaime, who is visiting in Washington for a few weeks, constructed a cardboard battleship nearly five feet long, with guns that turned on swivels and lifeboats that lowered on threads. Painted gray, it was a perfect model of a man o' war. Jaime's only materials were cardboard, paint, thread, paper clips, scissors and paste, but the ingenuity he used was something to marvel at and ponder on.

Toys that come ready made entertain children for a little while; handicraft provides endless amusement. Set a child to making anything—a doll's house, a set of tin soldiers, raffia mats or anything else that arouses his creative ability—and he not only will use his wits and hands to advantage, but will find entertainment in the work besides.

(Monday: Making a Doll's House.)

What's Puzzling You?



TO BE correctly dressed for the occasion without being foppish is the mark of the gentleman. There is a modern etiquette in dress as important as the etiquette governing conduct. The men's fashion editor of The Post is prepared to answer queries on the what, when and why of sartorial good taste. Put your questions to him.

MEN'S FASHION EDITOR: Is it proper to wear both a boutonniere and white handkerchief with a tail-kit? M. N.

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SIR: It's being done, but personally I think it's too much of a good thing. Wear one or the other. I like the flower best.

MEN'S FASHION EDITOR: How can I polish brown buck shoes? G. V. B.

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SIR: They can't be "polished." Brush them lightly but vigorously with a flexible wire brush such as you obtain at your bootblacks or in a ladies' shoe shop.

MEN'S FASHION EDITOR: Can spotty nap be restored on a stiff silk hat? JAN.

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SIR: Have it steamed by an expert; if it's not too badly rubbed you can restore the pile. Bald spots seem to be incurable.

This BUSINESS of LIVING

Is There Way of Circumventing Malicious, Interfering Mother-in-Law?

By Mary Haworth.

DEAR MISS HAWORTH: What is your opinion of a mother-in-law who will break up her son's home through jealousy and then try to destroy the love of that man's children for their mother? And what would you do in the daughter-in-law's place? I am the daughter-in-law and that is my problem.

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Since my husband deserted me two years ago, I have been working to support my two children, a girl of 6, a boy of 4, without one penny's help from their father. We live in a boarding home, where the landlady and her daughter watch out for the children during the day. Instead of praising me occasionally for what I am trying to do and have done, my mother-in-law is constantly critical and disapproving of my efforts.

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She has a position as companion to an elderly woman, with three afternoons a week off. She spends all of her time, in my absence, visiting with the children; has struck up a close friendship with my landlady and her daughter, and for some months, I have been aware of a growing hostility on their part toward me, and the children are becoming saucy, quarrelsome, and selfish.

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If I could talk to you, I could tell you in detail the underhanded way in which my mother-in-law cleverly sets about discrediting me even with my own children, so that they are coming to have no respect for authority, and no idea of discipline. But it's a story too long and complicated to try to tell in a letter. But please believe me when I say it's true. What should I do?

DISTRACTED.

Make a New Start.

DEAR DISTRACTED: Briefly, I suggest you make a new start, in another neighborhood as far removed as possible from your present address. If you could take a small apartment, or light housekeeping rooms, and have a woman come in by the day to take care of the children—who was strictly answerable to you for the discharge of her duties—it would be a better arrangement than the present one.

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Then, politely but firmly inform your mother-in-law that until you have secured the children's complete respect and affection, and have restored some adequate measure of discipline, you will tolerate no further interference from her. Ask her to stay away. This may sound like a heroic measure, but I'm afraid it's necessary, if what you say is true. And see that your request is respected.

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Later, in six months or a year, perhaps, it may do no harm to let her see the children occasionally, providing she does so when you are present. But give her no opportunity to gossip with servant or children behind your back. M. H.

Miss Haworth will be glad to help you in solving your problems. Write to her in care of The Post Woman's Page.

Alumnae Club Chapters Plan Tea Tomorrow

Prof. Metzgar, President of Maryland College, to Be Honored.

THE BALTIMORE and Washington Chapters of the Maryland College Alumnae Club will meet for tea from 4 to 6 o'clock tomorrow at the Hotel Roosevelt.

Prof. Frederick Metzgar, president of Maryland College, will be the guest of honor.

Mrs. J. Tible Machado and Mrs. William Hamilton Bayly, honorary presidents, will receive, assisted by Mrs. S. T. Ansell and Mrs. Josiah A. Van Orsdel and officers of the club.

William P. Cameron, harpist, will present a number of musical selections.

Vassar Alumnae Luncheon.

THE WASHINGTON Branch of the Vassar Alumnae Association will give a luncheon at 1:15 o'clock today at the American Association of University Women clubhouse, 1634 Eye street northwest.

Mrs. Cazenove Lee will preside, assisted by Mrs. James Cox, Miss Julia Fiebeger and Miss Grace Roper.

All the ladies attending the convention of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity which opened Wednesday at the Willard Hotel will be entertained by Mrs. Henry Parsons Erwin at a tea and reception this afternoon at her home, Arbremont.

The Washington Western College Alumnae Association will hold its Christmas meeting at 3 o'clock today at the home of Miss Helen Field, 3607 Lowell street. All alumnae in the city are invited to be present.

The League for the Larger Life will hold its annual ball at 9 o'clock tonight for its members and friends. Following an interesting program, refreshments will be served.

Mrs. J. D. Grigsby, national president of Delta Delta Delta National Sorority, will be the guest of honor at the Washington Alumnae Chapter's annual Christmas luncheon at 1 o'clock today in Woodward & Lothrop's tea room.

Culbertson on Bridge

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The Punishment of Virtue.

A certain number of hands arise in the course of play which leave good players at a disadvantage compared to their less imaginative brethren. When the case is blackest for declarer and only one ray of hope appears, a clever series of deceptive plays is often more likely to succeed against good defense than against very bad defense. Certain deceptive plays, moreover, are more likely to succeed against defending players who are neither very good nor very bad than against either the expert or the tyro. A play of this type was made by the declarer at Trick 2 on the hand below.

South, Dealer.
East and West vulnerable.

	♠ A 10 7 5 4 ♡ J 7 ◇ 10 8 3 ♣ Q 9 6	
♠ 8 ♡ A 6 2 ◇ J 9 6 5 4 ♣ K 10 3 2	N W E S	♠ 9 6 ♡ 8 4 3 ◇ A Q 7 2 ♣ A J 8 4
	♠ K Q J 3 2 ♡ K Q 10 9 5 ◇ K ♣ 7 5	

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

South	West	North	East
1♠(1)	Pass	2♠	Pass
3♡(2)	Pass	3♠(3)	Pass
4♠(4)	Pass	Pass	Pass

1—South shows his higher ranking suit first.

2—Since North's raise may be closer to three spades than to two spades, South feels justified in asking for additional information in the hope that a game contract may safely be reached.

3—North, it is true, is trump rich, but he is woefully poor in high card and short suit values. He can see no prospect of game unless South has quite a strong hand.

4—Bold, and unsound. South has already disclosed his full strength, and in view of North's unwillingness to bid more than three spades South should pass with whatever grace he can muster. South hopes, however, that his lone King of diamonds may prove of great value, and also that an extra trick may develop (a not unreasonable hope in view of what is to follow) by reason of weak defense.

In the play West opened his fourth best diamond, and East's Ace felled South's King. East was unwilling to return a club away from his Ace-Jack up to dummy's Queen, so returned the Queen of diamonds which South trumped. South now went into a brief executive session with himself. Quite obviously he had to lose the Ace of hearts and probably two clubs, which, in addition to the diamond trick he had already lost, would set him one trick. The only hope lay in so misdirecting the opponents that the club shift would not be made. This appeared possible since each opponent when on lead had already refused to touch the club suit. The position of the Queen in dummy plus the moral certainty that the top honors must be split, indicated that each opponent would fear that South held the other missing top. The best way to encourage them to "place" the top in his hand was to betray weakness in the major suits so that the opponents would assume that he must have club strength to compensate.

Accordingly South led the Queen of spades at Trick 3, and when West played low, went up with the Ace in dummy. West now suspected that his partner had the King of spades and that South had played for the drop instead of for the finesse. The Jack of hearts was now led from dummy, and when East played low, South played the King, West winning with the Ace. West now thought that South's hearts had been topped by King-ten-nine, and that his partner had the Queen. In this event South must have the Ace of clubs to justify his rather strong bidding. Since his partner (according to West's way of thinking) had two entries, the spade King and the heart Queen, there would be plenty of time to secure whatever club tricks might be necessary. West therefore, without a qualm, led the Jack of diamonds. South gleefully ruffed this, led the King of spades and ran the heart suit, discarding all three clubs from the dummy. His stratagem had worked so successfully that, far from being set, he made an overtrick.

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Swedish Cafe Offers Menus That Delight

ovel Decorative Scheme Takes Casual Diner on Flights of Fancy.

By Ruth Anne Davis.

SINCE you can't board a magic carpet and cross the broad Atlantic nor speed to Sweden a flying Zephyr, why not do this instead: Find a large, imposing red brick house with rich red drapes in the windows. You'll probably catch glimpses of diners smiling, laughing and having all manner of fun. Now, approach the large wooden or with frosty glass panels and ter.

All at once, Connecticut avenue, street, all of Washington seem les away, and Sweden very close hand. You'll find yourself in a llway at the foot of a winding ir. On one side is a spacious om with the sun pouring through large bay window, and giving a ght glow to the ruby glasses hich cast their warm color over hand-woven, blue-patterned ths. Across the hall in another om. A large table spread like a ng's festive board beckons you th its hors d'oeuvres and delious Swedish dishes.

If you follow those winding stairs, u find yourself in a room where eberg blue woodwork contrasts th the walls and drapes in a rm midnight sun yellow. At the end Yule logs crackle cheerily a large fireplace.

Tempting Viands.

Across from this is another room ne in misty grays and blues like ose that tremble on the crest of icy wave. Overhead a chandeer sheds its deep golden light er a copper table where choice nds persuade you to forget your et and calories.

It's a charming rendezvous like ose you read about or see in ovies and yet seldom find in real xistence. With delightful inforality you select your own hors oeuvres and order your main ourse at your leisure.

And then there's always a menu hat caters to dozens of tastes. It n't as though you were offered ne, two or three things. You're ffered dozens, and they're all deicious.

Furthermore, it's a house of agic. Before you've really seated ourself at the table the most wonerful things have happened. The ft lights and light colors have wo- n a spell about you. In some ysterious way they compliment ur eyes, your hair and skin, and e your features an added charm.

Bridge Sets Popular.

Along with other ideal gifts, ridge sets rank high, and particularly sets like those featured in a owntown store. These are like litle books from the outside, with the tle "bridge" tooled in gold letters. nside there are two decks of crisp ards, a score pad and a pencil.

Handmade Presents.

The very idea that something is andmade increases its value conderably. The fact that dainty litd sachets on display now are handade makes them favorites with hoppers who frantically seek some ttle something that is sure to ease. Undoubtedly, these will. ey're soft, satin, covered with lky lace, and perfumed with a scinating blend. A small bottle of perfume is included with each rchase, making it a two in one resent.

Clearing Sales.

After Christmas the deluge, and, eedless to add, a deluge of sales. very department in every store changing price tags and rearranging old merchandise to clear it for the ew.

In the food orner of a owntown store here's a real lean-up on hristmas canies. Some rare elicacies are ow half price, d others quite eastically reuced.

A shining example of the barins available is the hard candy. is ordinarily 39 cents a pound. oday it is 19 cents. And it inudes virtually every kind, all lors and myriads of flavors.

Side by side with this but for ore particular tastes, are the glace uits. Expensive things, but oh ow good! These featured during e "clean-up" are wonderfully esh and literally melt in your outh. But the best part is their odest price!

Attractive tins of buttered toffey re reduced from 94 cents to 79 nts. Chocolate covered mints or ppermint patties from 49 cents to cents. Old-fashioned ribbon ndy was once considerably more an it's present 29 cents. Sheets pecan and black walnut toffey e 49 cents.

Almost any kind of candy you ight have a yen for you will find ith a brand new price. Or if you on't know exactly what inspiraon your sweet tooth needs you'll ave no trouble here when you lance over the candy-laden showase.

Simple Shoulderettes.

Those who prefer simple shoulderttes to snugglers will find some ow that look and feel like sheer oolen cobwebs in delicate lacy atterns.

These whispy little scarfs give a ozy warmth that is much in deand this season. At present they re reduced from $1 to 59 cents.

Call Ruth Anne Davis, of The Washington Post, National 4200, Extension 105, for further information, or write, inclosing stamped, addressed envelope.

Tunic Frock Flatters All Types of Figures

Pattern No. 844.

THE TUNIC FROCK is a fashion that flatters all figures, from the slim size 14 to the woman who wears 44. The softly tailored details—linked cuffs, turn-over collar, square armholes and trim belt contribute to this one a "shirtwaist" feeling that is new and easy to wear.

In formal fabrics, such as moire, metal crepe, lame, satin or faille, it strikes just the right note of tailored importance for bridge, tea, cocktails or informal dinner. In less formal fabrics—jerseys, wool crepes, light woolens and the like—it is a useful runabout or business dress. The pattern comes in sizes 14 to 44, and in size 16 it takes 2⅞ yards of 39-inch material for the tunic and 2⅛ yards for the skirt.

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How to Keep Well

By Dr. Irving S. Cutler.

Cancer: Discovery Versus Concealment.

CANCER is a disease of the human family that all of us should know more about. It causes each year a huge monetary loss, great suffering, and wields its scythe of destruction at a time in life when the individual is or should be more active, more productive, and of the greatest value to society.

Apparently the disease is on the increase. The growing number of reported cases cannot be laid entirely to better diagnosis or to earlier recognition. More often than not it is attacking people in the prime of life, frequently after successful victories over numerous other diseases have been won.

If we can but divorce ouselves from fear of a fatal outcome should cancer be recognized, we can study and attack the problem with renewed vigor. Cancer is curable if detected early.

Cancer never begins as a general disease of the whole body. It starts as a tiny area of cell growth at some point in the body. For days, weeks, or even months the growth may be so small that it cannot be recognized. There comes a time, however, when positive symptoms call attention to the condition and if these symptoms are properly interpreted and if early removal of the growth is undertaken a high percentage of patients will be saved.

Fearing cancer will get us nowhere. We too often delay examination because we fear that cancer may be present. Rather should we say, "I have some symptoms. They may or may not be due to cancer. If my symptoms are caused by cancer the sooner I seek skilled counsel the better will be my chances. If they are not caused by cancer—O, what a relief!"

As far as is known cancer is not contagious, although there may be a hereditary tendency toward tumor growths. Diets cannot cause cancer, neither can they relieve it, and the disease affects impartially the vegetarian and the meat eater. It occurs in the lower animals and in fish.

Education as to the ordinary symptoms so that early diagnosis may be made and treatment instituted is of the highest importance. What if some of us needlessly visit our family physicians? It is their responsibility to help safeguard the health of the family—not alone to cure existing disease. Experts now hold that if individuals can be correctly informed as to early symptoms 60 per cent of all cancer can be cured.

The gravity of the cancer situation can not be too strongly stressed. Although the cause of cancer has so far defied detection, enough is known of its character, its method of growth, and its dissemination through the body to lead to the adoption of precautions and preventive measures. Prevention requires cooperation of the physician and the public and research as to the cause must go forward with energy.

We must all recognize that persistent and continuous irritation of certain cells of the body, from any cause, may bring about an abnormal growth that is cancerous in character. Professor Huxley says: "Nature never forgives and never forgets," and many of us have to relearn one of the simple rules of body hygiene that epithelial cells of skin and mucous membrane will not endure irritation for long.

The public must learn to identify certain conditions that are called pre-cancerous and, as far as possible, remove them. Among these may be mentioned dark colored moles, growths on the skin, particularly in older people; chronic ulcers, gallstones, ulcers of the stomach, ulcers and tears of the cervix of the uterus, and chronic infections wherever they may exist.

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Cake Recipes To Win Prizes In Post Contest

THE successful baking of a cake is the first rung upward in the climb of culinary fame. Do you remember your first cake—how you struggled with the same recipe time after time until you had achieved perfection for your first cooking venture? Perhaps this same recipe, if entered in The Post's recipe contest for cakes next week, will take a prize.

The contest will be devoted exclusively to recipes for cake. Any cake recipe is eligible for this contest. Make your recipe complete by telling what kind of frosting will best enhance the flavor of the cake. If you have an unusual recipe, send that one, because there will be less chance of its being duplicated.

All recipes should be sent to Dorothea Duncan, Home Economics Editor of The Washington Post. Three prizes will be awarded, $3 for the best recipe, $2, for the second best, and $1 for the third best.

Type your recipes if possible. If not, write them neatly in ink. Check all recipes for errors or omissions. All recipes submitted should be received on or before Thursday of next week.

Grape Cluster Weighs 112 Lbs.

A proud grape grower in California recently exhibited a single cluster of the fruit which weighed 112 pounds. Each grape was normal in size and flavor.

Left-Over Bird Recipes Given Prizes by Post

Virginians Win Money for Dishes Using Turkey in Various Ways.

IF HOUSEWIVES are looking for ways and means to serve left-over fowl, here are some fine recipes awarded prizes and honorable mention in The Post's recipe contest this week.

First prize, $3, is awarded to Miss Adelaide Hammond, of Clifton Station, Va., for her original recipe for macaroni and turkey. Second prize, $2, goes to Mrs. C. K. Miller, of Charlottesville, Va., for her recipe for turkey pilmeni, and third prize, $1, to Miss Joyce Talbert, 1603 Sixteenth street northwest, for her recipe for turkey loaf.

Honorable mention is awarded Mrs. Roscoe Holmes, of Silver Spring, Md., for her recipe for turkey oriental, and to Mrs. David Zimmer, 3261 K street northwest for her recipe for creole turkey shortcakes.

The recipes follow in the order mentioned above.

Macaroni With Turkey.

Two boxes of macaroni
Four cups of creamed turkey
Seasoning to taste.

Grind turkey in meat grinder and cream as you would chicken, using milk, butter, salt and pepper. Keep hot.

Wash macaroni thoroughly and cool 20 minutes in salted water. Remove and wash until water is clear. Put in colander over steam, and just before serving add the two mixtures. Serve with beet pickle or your favorite pickle.

Turkey Pilmeni.

For filling, use cold minced turkey, cooked and highly spiced. For the pastry, use 1 cup sour cream into which has been stirred 2 whole eggs, ½ teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons soda dissolved in a little cold water and enough sifted bread flour to make a soft dough. Knead lightly and roll to ⅛ inch thickness. Cut into 3-inch squares.

Heap a full teaspoon of meat filling on one side of each square, fold the dough over, wet the edges and seal the envelope well. Drop pilmenis, a few at a time, into fast-boiling soup stock. Cook 3 or 4 minutes. Remove with strainer and serve on hot platter. Serve thickened soup sauce on side; chopped parsley may be added.

Turkey Loaf.

Chop leftover turkey, both light and dark meat, until you have four cups. Use the medium knife on the food chopper. Mix it with ½ cup finely chopped celery, 2 tablespoons chopped parsley, 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind, salt and pepper to taste, 3 cups fine soft bread crumbs, 2 well beaten eggs and ¾ cup sweet milk or turkey gravy. If there is any leftover stuffing, substitute it for part of the bread crumbs. Mix well, shape into a loaf or pack into a greased bread pan. Brush the top with melted butter and bake in a moderate oven 40 to 50 minutes. Serve hot, cut in slices, with parsley or mushroom sauce. This may be mixed ready for the oven early in the day and baked just before the meal.

Turkey Oriental.

1 No. 2 can crushed pineapple
2 cups diced turkey
1 cup turkey stock
2 tablespoons green pepper
Salt and pepper to taste
4 tablespoons butter
4 tablespoons flour
½ cup shredded celery
Shredded toasted almonds

Drain the pineapple, press out the juice and saute the pineapple in the butter about three minutes. Add flour, stir until smooth, add turkey stock and cook until thickened. Add turkey, shredded pepper and celery and simmer about ten minutes. Season to taste and serve on toast, garnished with the shredded almonds.

Creole Turkey Shortcakes.

2 cups diced turkey
6 mushrooms
2 tablespoons pimento
1½ cups milk
⅓ cup cream
1 onion, minced
1 green pepper, shredded
3 tablespoons butter
3 tablespoons flour
2 egg yolks
Seasonings

Cook the shredded mushrooms, pepper and onion in the butter about five minutes. Add the flour, stir to smooth paste and add the milk and bring to boiling point. Add turkey and pimento and cook gently about five minutes. Beat the egg yolks, combine with the cream and add to the first mixture. Cook one minute and remove from fire. Season.

Shortcakes.

2 cups sifted flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1 egg
½ teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons shortening
½ cup milk

Sift together the dry ingredients, cut in the shortening, beat the egg and combine with the milk. Add milk and egg to dry ingredients to form a soft dough. Roll and cut dough to make six uniform shortcakes. Bake 12 minutes in a very hot oven.

Strictly Speaking

Pronounce These.

1. Indissoluble.
2. Leisure.
3. Diphthong.
4. Sacrifice (the verb).
5. Foyer.

Check Here.

1. In-DIS-o-lu-bl or in-di-SOL-u-bl.
2. LEE-zhur or LEZH-ur.
3. DIF-thong.
4. SAK-rif-ize or SAK-rif-ice.
5. Fwa-YA (the last syllable rhymes with "day.")

SHY CINDERELLA

By WILSON COLLISON.

(Continued From Yesterday.)

ANNE smiled. "I'll probably never see him again."

"Years ago," said Lillian, sitting on the high stool and lighting a cigarette with a sigh, "I went to a party in Grand Rapids. They make furniture there and other things, too. One of those fellows like you've mentioned thought I was just the girl for him and when he got me alone, he grabbed me the way gorillas grab cocoanuts or whatever they eat. There was a nice, long-stemmed vase on a table right beside me and I ups and let him have it where some people have brains. He went out for the count and when everyone came running in, I took a bow, got a pitcher of water and let him have the Niagara in the pan. He came out of the ether with a sick smile. I never heard from him after that."

Anne went back into the dining room to clear the table. Lillian sat on the high stool and smoked her cigarette, musing. She was thinking that life was a funny thing and wondering where she'd be in the years to come. She wondered, too, where Anne would be. She could not see Anne going on as a maid all the rest of her life. Anne was too pretty, too sweet, too well-bred. She had her youth, a shining sort of beauty, a naive charm, a wistful loveliness. Lillian thought seriously as she smoked, "When we get on our feet, I've got to work out something for the kid. She ought to be in a position where she could meet the right kind of people."

Lillian reached over and poured herself a cocktail.

When Anne came in from the dining room, Lillian was chewing gum.

Lillian finished her work in the kitchen, made a large supply of cocktails, then went to bed. She got a magazine and propped herself up in bed. Anne came in for a few minutes and Lillian talked seriously about Anne's future. Anne laughed at her, for Lillian was always very funny when she was serious. Somehow, Anne never expected Lillian to be serious. Lillian thought that in the spring Anne ought to go to New York and take a course in something. Lillian asked, "What would you like to be, baby?" and Anne answered, "I don't know. I don't mind being a maid for Mr. Grenville."

"But," said Lillian earnestly, "you're young. This is all right to tide us over the depression, but we got to work out your future for the days when the stock market gets good again. You see, baby, I don't want you to get to my age and be where I am. If I'd taken up stenography or bookkeeping, sewing or raising babies, I'd be in a different spot today. It's no laugh to reach my age and try to look ahead. I'll never get married again. Once was enough for me. So there's nothing to look forward to but the Old Ladies' Home."

"Oh, no," said Anne. I'll take care of you.

Think of the Future.

"You'll take care of yourself. This job has been fine to keep us out of the breadline. But Mr. Grenville isn't going to keep us forever. He's a swell fellow. The next one that hires you might not be as nice. Some of them are pretty fresh, and with your looks, things are going to happen to you unless you get into something that will be different from being just another one of the loose million."

Anne went over and sat down upon the bed beside Lillian and looked at her with a smile. "Something will turn up for us, Lillian, when we finish here. We'll have some money saved and we'll not be so unhappy and worried while I'm looking for a job. I really can't do anything unusual. I'm just an ordinary girl. I might study to be a secretary, but I'm not going to worry about it now. I just love this house and I want to stay as long as I can, and when we have to go, we'll find something else. I don't know why I'm happy. I just am. I don't feel that I'm just a servant. And you aren't, Lillian. We're managing Mr. Grenville's house."

"Yeah," said Lillian, "Well, we've got to save our money."

"We'll save every penny."

Marvelous Service.

She suddenly leaped to her feet. "Lillian, I forgot to turn down Mr. Grenville's bed and lay out his pajamas and slippers."

"I'll have to slip upstairs so no one will hear me."

Anne went quietly up the stairs and tiptoed through the hall. She tapped very lightly upon Mr. Grenville's door. There was no answer.

She pushed open the door and went in. She got his pajamas and slippers. Strange thoughts went racing through her mind; thoughts which frightened her a little by their sheer audacity. She was always thinking of him. She was a little dismayed by the persistence with which he clung in her mind. She had no right to think so much about him . . .

She went out the door and closed it soundlessly after her. The upper hall had a single light glowing.

When she got to the head of the stairs she heard someone moving through the lower hall. She started down the stairs on tiptoe.

Some one came up the stairs toward her quickly. She saw that it was Mr. Denton.

Blocked Her Way.

When she tried to pass him he stood blocking her way with a smile. His face was flushed and his eyes seemed to glitter in the mellow light from the upper hall.

He said in a low voice, "Hello, sweetheart."

A sudden wave of color flooded her face; then receded, leaving her very white. She tried to pass him, but he remained motionless, looking at her with that queer smile.

He said, "I'll bet you don't weigh more than a hundred pounds."

With a swift movement he drew her into his arms. She tried to break his hold, but he was strong. He held her head back and she felt his hot lips against hers, the fumes of liquor flooding into her nostrils.

With a little cry like that of a small, enraged animal she pulled one of her arms free from his crushing grip. Rage welled up in her. Fierce resentment and a fury that blinded her.

With all her might she struck him in the face. He seemed to stand teetering for one appalling moment upon the edge of the stairstep below her; then with a little grunt he went tumbling down the stairs.

She heard the sound of a dull thud as he struck in the hall at the bottom of the stairs. For one horrified instant she stood there staring down at him. Then, terrified, she ran down the stairs with a little scream.

Other Guests Came.

People were coming from the living room. She heard the sound of their voices, moving feet.

It seemed to her her head was bursting. With an agonized sob, she turned and fled through the hall before any of those people could see her.

Lillian sat up and flung aside her magazine and stared at Anne's white face. Anne was shaking; her lips were quivering.

Lillian said aghast, "What's happened?"

Anne suddenly began to sob hysterically. Lillian leaped out of bed and ran to her and put her arms around her. "What's happened?"

Anne said hysterically, "I've killed Mr. Denton. I've killed him. He put his arms around me when I was coming down the stairs. He kissed me. Something made me lose my head. I don't know what made me do it. I couldn't help it. I struck him in the face and he fell backward down the stairs."

Lillian kept saying, "You're all right, baby, you're all right!"

Anne cried, "I'll have to go away. Help me pack, Lillian. I'll have to go away. It was one of Mr. Grenville's guests. What will he say—what will he say!"

Someone was knocking upon the door. Lillian looked at it. Anne half swung around and started at the door with tears streaming down her cheeks.

Jimmie Was Furious.

Lillian ran across to the bed and snatched up her dressing robe. She flung it around her and said to Anne, "You stay right here."

Lillian opened the door and stepped swiftly into the hall, closing the door after her.

Jimmie Grenville stood looking at her. His face was very white and there seemed more of rage in his eyes than alarm.

He said quietly, but his voice sounded thick with suppressed fury, "Where's Anne?"

For the first time in her life, Lillian lost her head. Something exploded in her brain.

She cried, "Listen, Mr. Grenville, she didn't mean to do it. I'm telling you, she didn't. I'm to blame. I put the idea into her head. I told her if a man ever got fresh with her to hit him in the face as hard as she could. That fellow caught her on the stairs. He scared her to death. She's just a kid. He put his arms around her and kissed her. She's a wonderful little kid, Mr. Grenville. She's never been a servant in her life. She got broke in New York and got into the chorus of a show. She's been my pal and my sister and my kid all in one. My name isn't Martin, it's Lillian Larsen. I'm just a bum chorus girl that's batted around and I know life and I'm telling you that kid isn't to blame. If I'd seen him kiss her, I'd have knocked him crazy. I'd have killed him, too—do you hear that, I'd have killed him, too!"

He Wasn't Dead.

Jimmie got her by the shoulders and shook her a little. He said in that low voice which sounded a little thick, "He isn't dead. He isn't even hurt. He was just drunk. Where's Anne?"

Lillian answered, dabbing at her eyes with the hem of her dressing robe, "She's getting ready to leave. She's scared to death. She isn't afraid because she thought she killed him—she's afraid of you."

He said, "Please go in and tell her that Denton's all right. He was just knocked out. Tell her to go into the back sun parlor. I want to talk to her."

Anne stood in the silence of the sun parlor looking mutely at Jimmie. Her face was as white as the face of a ghost and her lips were trembling a little, but her hands hung passively at her sides.

Jimmie stood looking down at her.

He said softly, "Anne, I love you. I think I loved you from the first day you came into this house."

Off to Bermuda.

She said in a birdlike voice, "No, no—please. You don't know anything about me."

He smiled down at her. "I know everything. Your pal and your sister and your mother told me. I've known for a long time that she wasn't really your mother. I've known that neither of you were ever servants before. I'd love you even if you were just a maid."

She suddenly clung to him and sobbed. "No, no. Please—we can't. I love you. That's why I've wanted to do everything for you. But we mustn't be in love. You have a wife."

He said quietly, "She's gone. She died in Paris. I haven't anyone—only you. I want you to stay here forever. I want your pal and your sister and your mother to stay here forever, too."

He tilted back her head and kissed her. She stood upon her toes with her arms around his neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Grenville went to Bermuda for the holidays. They were not expected back in their Long Island home until the middle of January. Mr. and Mrs. Belden filled their stateroom with flowers and Lillian filled it with tears.

Then Lillian went out alone in a melancholy way to the Long Island house to take charge of two new servants. During the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Grenville, she managed the servants, and she managed them. When she was the most depressed, she went into the basement and opened the cupboard under the stairs.

THE END.

Begin "The Alleged Great-Aunt," in Sunday's Post.

British Woman Admits She Wears Size 21 Shoes

A woman has won the doubtful honor of possessing the largest feet in Great Britain. The Morning Post reports that a Durham woman confesses to a size 21. Her shoes are made on special lasts and are 16½ inches long.

The firm making this woman's shoes made lasts for size 15 shoes for a north country woman four years ago.

Style Experts Envision Dresses of Pigskin

Pigskin will not be confined to bags and shoes in the spring wardrobe, according to style predictions. It will be featured on street dresses in the form of belts and as bodice lacing. One of the most attractive frocks recently displayed was made of navy wool with beige pigskin used as a trim belt and as bodice lacing.

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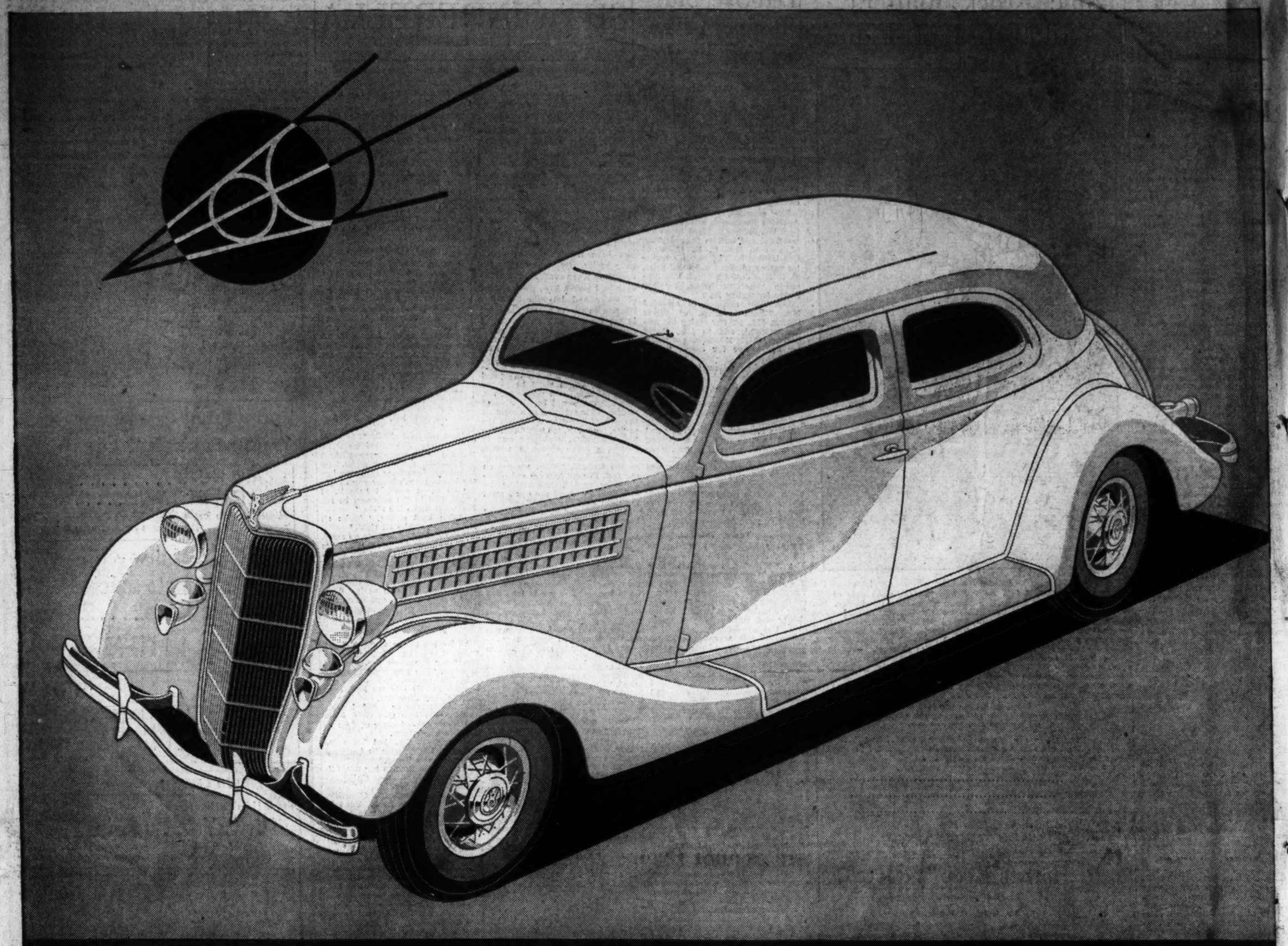

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Elimination Of Crossings Is Forecast

Commission Chairman Quotes Ickes as Favoring Plan.

Project Would Involve Expenditure of Half Billion.

Richmond, Dec. 28 (AP).—Possibility that the Federal Government may appropriate $500,000,000 within the next year for a public works program of grade crossing elimination was foreseen by H. Lester Hooker, chairman of the State corporation commission, on his return from Washington tonight.

Mr. Hooker, author of the resolution favoring such a program, adopted by the November convention of the National Association of Railroad and Utility Commissioners, conferred with Secretary of the Interior Ickes today in company with A. R. McDonald, of Madison, Wis., president of the association, and John E. Benton, of Washington, it general solicitor.

This committee, acting under authority of the convention resolution, urged the adoption of the grade crossing elimination program as a means of saving lives and at the same time providing employment.

Hooker Encouraged.

Mr. Hooker said he was encouraged by the attitude of Secretary Ickes and believed there was excellent prospect for the project, with the limitation that it was to apply only to crossings on trunk line railroads.

Secretary Ickes was quoted as renewing a request for information from the States as to the amount of crossing elimination work they could begin in periods of 30, 60 or 90 days and whether rights of way would be provided without cost.

After the proposal had been made to the utilities commissioners in November and adopted by them, Secretary Ickes indorsed the idea, which also was approved by Joseph B. Eastman, railroad coordinator.

Railway Lists Obtained.

In response to a request from the Federal Bureau of Public Roads, the Virginia highway department submitted lists of crossing projects. This list showed projects totaling $1,045,000 ready to start in 30 days, $800,000 in 60 days and $2,400,000 in 90 days.

Highway Commissioner H. G. Shirley also obtained from railroads operating in Virginia lists of projects totaling $50,000,000 which they were ready to undertake. Shirley said if plans prepared by his department could be used, many of these projects could be started within a short time.

Other estimates placed the total of grade crossings in Virginia at 2,735 and the estimated cost of eliminating them at $238,000,000, but these would include those on little-used branch lines.

Electric Rate Slash Allowed by Virginia

Richmond, Va., Dec. 28 (AP).—An estimated 67,000 customers of the Virginia Electric Power Co. will be given the benefit of lower rates on current as result of the State corporation commission's action granting the company's request to put the reduction in effect.

Previously there was a lower home rate available only to consumers using electrical appliances other than lights, but the new schedule makes this same rate applicable to the entire 101,000 residence consumers.

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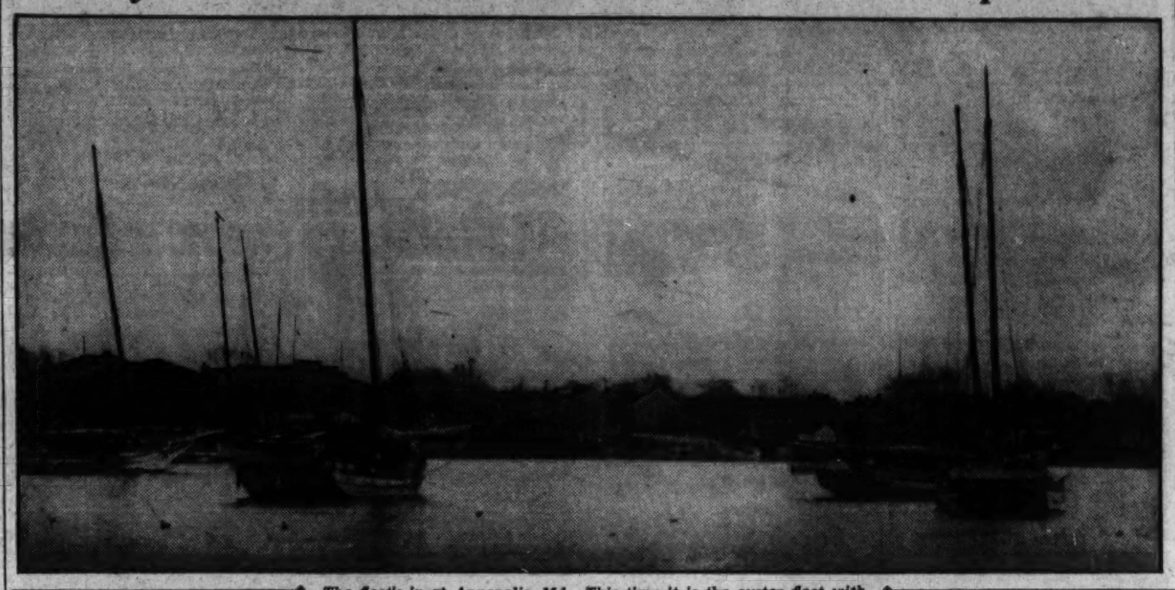


The fleet's in at Annapolis, Md. This time it is the oyster fleet with a fresh haul of the bivalves from the nearby Chesapeake Bay which were rushed into port to take care of an unexpected increase in demand for oysters. The demand is due to cold weather, members of the fleet declare. Back of the fleet, in the above photo, the Annapolis shoreline may be seen.

Fish Problems Of Two States Will Be Aired

Maryland and Virginia Officials to Discuss Issues Today.

Baltimore, Dec. 28 (AP).—State Conservation Commissioner Swepson Earle and Richard Armstrong, commissioner of fisheries of Virginia, will meet tomorrow at Colonial Beach, Va., for a conference on legislative problems confronting fishing interests of the two States on the Potomac River.

State Senator J. Allan Coad, St. Marys County, and State Senator-elect Robert V. Cooksey, Charles County, will attend the meeting. Two representatives from each of the counties on the Virginia shore of the river and two from Charles and St. Marys Counties in Maryland, also are expected to be present.

Commissioner Earle today said the discussion would touch upon attempts to reach agreements on legislation, to be presented at the General Assemblies of both States, affecting watermen on the Potomac.

Under present conditions, Earle said, some laws of the two neighboring States have caused frequent misunderstanding between Virginia fishermen and Maryland conservation officials.

$23,274 Road Contract Is Let

Baltimore Firm to Build Highway Link in Anne Arundel.

Baltimore, Dec. 28 (AP).—Harry D. Williar, jr., chief engineer of the State roads commission, announced today the Christhilf & Ensey Co., of Baltimore, has been awarded a $23,274.70 contract for construction of the 20-foot wide concrete strip linking the Stony Creek and mountain roads in Anne Arundel County.

The road, which will be about three-quarters of a mile long, will be financed with Federal funds, Williar said. Construction probably will not begin until spring.

Meanwhile, permanent and summer residents of the Anne Arundel County peninsula bounded by the Magothy and Patapsco Rivers and the Chesapeake Bay are anticipating the early widening of the one-way bridge over Stony Creek which they contend forms a "bottle-neck hazard."

The highway, together with its connecting links, cost almost $2,000,000 and Anne Arundel Countains say full benefit from the outlay cannot be derived until the bridge is widened and the one-way ruling eliminated.

Rock Salt Blast Likely to Greet Poultry Thieves

Bel Air, Md., Dec. 28 (AP).—Shotguns and rock salt were being discussed as crime cures today by indignant Harford County farmers, estimated to have been robbed of more than 1,500 chickens, turkeys and ducks in recent weeks.

For the last four months, Sheriff Granville C. Boyle said, scarcely a week has passed without three or four night raids being reported by outraged poultrymen, who claimed their henneries were looted in absolute quiet and in some instances in the face of vicious watch dogs.

Boyle said many farmers have reported the loss of as many as 100 chickens of a breed noted for its inclination to cackle—at one haul.

In no case, he said, have blood spots or dead fowl been found, indicating the thieves prefer their loot alive. One theory advanced by a puzzled poultryman was that the entire hennery is "gassed," and the fowl removed and cooped at leisure by the robbers.

Sheriff Boyle said he was convinced an organized gang is raiding systematically in the county, disposing of the chickens, turkeys and ducks to dishonest dealers.

Recently Boyle arrested three youths who confessed to five of the raids and the theft of 29 turkeys. The night after their conviction to serve nine months in the House of Correction, three more raids were reported, Boyle said.

Social and Club Notes
Of Towns and Cities in Nearby States

Frederick, Md.—About 225 persons, including guests from Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Hagerstown, Westminster, Waynesboro, Lancaster, Harrisburg, Gaithersburg and other places attended the annual Christmas dance by the Cotillion Club at the Frances Scott Key Hotel. The event was one of the largest social affairs of the holiday season.

Dinner in the main dining room preceded the dance. The ballroom was decorated with holiday green and illuminated with many colored lights. The patronesses were Mrs. H. Jewett Orth, Mrs. W. Clinton McSherry, Mrs. R. E. Town, Mrs. T. Stewart Haller and Mrs. Robert L. Warfield. Those who planned the dance were Charles W. Ross, 3d, chairman; Robert D. Osburn, Otho J. Keller, 3d., Harold Clem, Alvin G. Quinn, James H. Harris, James Etchison, Joseph W. Urner, Francis M. Petrott, Paul Michael and Robert E. Clapp, jr. Mr. Warfield is president of the club. Guests and their hosts were:

William A. Dimmitte and James Bradford, Washington, guests of Robert D. Osburn; E. D. Storm, Baltimore, guest of Clifford Gilbert; W. B. Hilton, Barnesville, and H. S. Bryant, Baltimore, guests of Dr. J. E. Broadrup; Vinton Hershey, Hagerstown, and Dr. Samuel F. Hauck, jr., Lancaster, guests of Dr. William A. Traill; Thomas Mahool and Thomas Sappington, Baltimore, guests of Dr. Harris Slaughter; Page Bledson and Frank Thorin, Washington, guests of Irving James; Allen S. DeLand, Washington, guest of Francis Petrott; B. Frank Musser, Harrisburg, and Theron Green, Columbus, Ohio, guests of R. E. Town; Dr. Blaine Bishop, Waynesboro, guest of Dr. C. L. Mullen; J. A. Cohill, jr., Hancock, and Frank Meehan, Philadelphia, guests of Alden Fisher; Eric Summers, Hagerstown, guest of Joseph H. Apple, jr.; Mark Gelbart, Lancaster, guest of Dr. Bernard M. Davis; Lawrence Guynn and Pierce Cody, Baltimore, guests of Dr. William Schnauffer.

John Everhart, Bethesda, guest of Otho J. Keller 3d; Carroll S. James, Hagerstown, guest of James Etchison; Dwight C. Bracken, Washington, and Harrison C. Griffith, Gaithersburg, guests of R. F. Sappington; John E. Griffith, Gaithersburg, guest of Charles Smith, jr.; Lester L. Towner, Baltimore, and Roger Whipple and Simms Jamison, Hagerstown, guests of Robert L. Warfield; Kenneth Girard, San Francisco, and William Herzog, Baltimore, guests of Harold Clemm; William Roland, Baltimore, guest of James Rogers; Allen Long, Fort Eustis, Va., and Donald Wolley, Westminster, guests of George S. Rodock, jr.; Victor Roberts and William Murphy, Baltimore, guests of W. Harry Haller, jr.; B. B. Savage, Baltimore, guest of W. Haller, sr.; William Keller, Philadelphia, guest of Eugene Creed; M. Carlton Dittman, Chestnut Hill, Pa., guest of John Francis Smith.

Golden Wedding.

Martinsburg, W. Va.—Children and relatives and Mr. and Mrs. David Fuss, living near Hedgesville, this county, observed the couple's golden wedding anniversary at a turkey dinner Christmas Day. Mr. Fuss, a retired farmer, is 82; Mrs. Fuss is 70. Before her marriage Mrs. Fuss was Miss Mary V. Phillips, of Little Cove, Md.

Lonaconing Girl Weds.

Lonaconing, Md.—Announcement has just been made of the marriage of Miss Anna Mae Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry, to Charles Melvin Sullivan, of Piedmont, W. Va., the ceremony having been performed at Washington, Pa., July 17, 1931.

Mrs. Sullivan has been employed at the Lonaconing telephone exchange for the past six years. They will live in Piedmont. Mr. Sullivan is employed by the West Virginia Pulp & Paper Co.

Colonial Dames to Meet.

Leonardtown, Md.—The Colonial Dames of Southern Maryland, of which Mrs. Frank Parran, of Baltimore, is president, will hold a Christmas tree meeting tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Alexander Bowling, 4028 Bell avenue, Baltimore, at 2:30 p. m.

Leland Worthington will speak on "Capt. Thomas Worthington's Old Scrap Book," a rare volume.

Revision Urged In School Plan

Cumberland Bond Issue 'Not Earning Keep,' Kopp Points Out.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 28 (Spl.). Plans for revising the specifications of the proposed high school in Cumberland were outlined yesterday by Charles L. Kopp, superintendent of county schools, who conferred with the board of county commissioners, relative to the fact that the $525,000 bond issue recently sold to the county to build the school is "not earning its keep."

Many officials cited that the interest payments on the idle bonds amount to approximately $53.94 each day, and that the county should have some means of "farming out" the funds until the money is actually needed.

The $525,000 bond issue was sold last month, with a high premium, but the board of education received no bids from contractors for construction of the building, causing the project to be delayed. In addition to the bond issue, a grant of $205,000 was approved by the PWA, making about $730,000 available for the work.

Contractors said they could not submit bids on the project, under the original plans, without losing money on the job. They said the plans must be modified to conform with the funds available. County officials yesterday said the plans and specifications have been changed and that bids will be re-advertised within three weeks.

Along the Tri-State Trail
with
C. B. Carr
Post State Editor

SPORTS enthusiasts of Anne Arundel County report wild fowl and game are quickly learning the areas restricted to the hunter and are flocking there.

Quail and cottontails are said to be migrating in surprising numbers to the protection of the wooded area included in Baltimore's city zone. Ducks have become wise to the water near the Severn River bridge at Annapolis where hunting is banned.

Crafty Reynard, the fox, is running true to form according to the huntsmen of the St. Margaret's Hunt Club. Several good chases have been cut short when Sir Reynard took to a surfaced road, as a result of which the hounds completely lost the scent amid the dust and motor fumes of the automobiles.

Assessed one-tenth of 1 per cent of the business handled, the majority of Baltimore oyster packers have expressed their antipathy to the NRA by not paying.

James Myers, industrial secretary of the Federal Council of Churches, reports success of its relief rehabilitation work in the destitute coal mining areas of nearby West Virginia and Pennsylvania.

That body has been sponsoring a varied list of projects including subsistence gardens, handcraft shops, health clinical work and the supervision of educational classes for over four years. Plans are being formulated now to start small libraries in a number of communities that have never had such facilities before.

Certified flocks of chickens, from which eggs may be sold to hatcheries at an average premium of 15 cents over the regular market price, have enabled many Virginia farmers to pay taxes that would have otherwise been delinquent, J. H. Meek, director of the division of markets of the State Department of Agriculture, said yesterday in discussing the State's certification program.

Certification, which is carried on by the State Department of Agriculture at the poultryman's expense, was first started in 1925. It is claimed that the average per cent of higher productivity over the ordinary chicken runs about 25 per cent. Estimates are that during the coming spring there will be 4,000,000 certified chicks raised in Virginia.

Andrew Woolf, Harrisonburg, Dies Suddenly

Motor Company President Is Stricken With a Hemorrhage.

Harrisonburg, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.). Andrew Woolf, 45, president of the Rockingham Motor Co., died suddenly this afternoon from a hemorrhage.

Mr. Woolf contracted a cold Monday but refused to stay in bed. He went to Washington yesterday to attend a meeting of motor car agents, became ill, returning last night and taken to a hospital.

Mr. Woolf was born at Berryville, Va., the son of Mrs. Mollie B. Woolf, of Keyser, W. Va., and the late Rev. William E. Woolf, a member of the Baltimore Methodist Conference. He was a grand nephew of the late United States Senator Henry Gassaway Davis, and the late Representative Thomas B. Davis, of West Virginia. After graduating in law at the University of Virginia, he began practicing at Keyser in 1914.

He is a cousin of former Senator Davis Elkins, of Washington. He was elected prosecuting attorney of Mineral County, and later enlisted for the World War. Mr. Woolf was a first lieutenant in the 315th Field Artillery, Eighth Division, and was a member of the battalion which fired the last shots Armistice Day at Sedan.

He came to Harrisonburg in 1919 and entered the automobile business. He was a director of the National Bank of Harrisonburg, and owned a 317-acre farm in Rockingham County. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Eva Woolf, and three children, William, Mary Virginia and Harry Woolf.

William Hunt Rites Today.

Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.) Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow at Covesville Baptist Church for William H. Hunt, injured fatally yesterday when he was knocked from his horse, which was struck by an automobile driven by McNeal Marshall, of this county. Marshall was released after questioning.

Mr. Hunt, who was 61, was a native of Albemarle County. He married Miss Lila Drumheller, of Albemarle, who died four years ago. Six children survive—J. H. Hunt, of this city; W. D. Hunt, of North Garden; Aubrey Hunt and the Misses Gertrude and Pearl Hunt, at home, and Mrs. Myrtle Batten, of this city. Mr. Hunt also leaves three brothers and three sisters—Jacob Hunt, of Arrington, Nelson County; D. R. Hunt, of Covesville; Ben Hunt, of Heards; Mrs. Rosa Mawyer, of Faber, and Mrs. Jennie Baker and Mrs. Mattie Campbell, both of Covesville.

Mrs. Crumrine Buried.

Baltimore, Dec. 28 (AP).—Mrs. Martha Crumrine, one of the few survivors who heard Abraham Lincoln deliver his Gettysburg address, was buried here today. She died Wednesday at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Frank Lord, in Washington, at the age of 95.

She was a native of Gettysburg and as a girl stood on the battlefield and listened to the famous oration.

Key Descendant Dies.

Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—William Key Howard, 73, descendant of Francis Scott Key, author of "The Star-Spangled Banner," died suddenly at his home here today.

He is survived by his widow, the former Miss Florence Moore, of Griffin, Ga., and four children, John Howard, of Clarendon; Mrs. D. R. Hill, of Little Rock, Ark., and Frances Key Howard and Miss Betsy Howard, of Fredericksburg.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. Burial will be in Hollywood Cemetery, Richmond.

E. Blair Pancake Buried.

Romney, W. Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.). E. Blair Pancake, 58, who died at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. E. Brown, in Staunton, was buried yesterday in Indian Mount Cemetery.

Mr. Pancake was in the fruit business. He won academic honors at Washington and Lee University. In early years he was in journalistic work in New York and later taught in Potomac Academy here. He was the author of a novel, "Miss New York."

Mr. Pancake was active in the Presbyterian Church and was an elder of First Church when a resident of Cumberland, Md.

Mrs. Thomas Fell Buried.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 28 (Spl.). Funeral services for Mrs. Isabel Louisa Fell, 74, wife of Dr. Thomas Fell, president emeritus of St. John's College, were conducted in St. Anne's Episcopal Church today by the Rev. Edward D. Johnson, rector, assisted by Capt. Sydney K. Evans, Navy Chaplain Corps, of Washington. Burial was in St. Anne's Cemetery.

Mrs. Fall lived in Annapolis 37 years during the tenure of Dr. Fell as head of St. John's. She was a member of St. Anne's Church and took part in many other activities. In later years she and her husband lived in Washington and Virginia. She died suddenly Wednesday at the Grafton Hotel, Washington, of heart disease.

Ban on Arms At Colleges Asked in Bill

Maryland Council Drafts Statute to Prohibit Military Training.

Mass Meeting Will Be Held in Baltimore January 8.

Baltimore, Dec. 28 (AP).—A bill to prohibit compulsory military training at any State-aided school or college in Maryland has been prepared for introduction in the approaching session of the Legislature by the Maryland Council Against Compulsory Military Education.

The council is a new organization of about 30 persons representing various societies and organizations, such as the Society for World Friendship Among Children, the Council of Jewish Women, the international relations committee of the Baltimore District of the Federated Women's Clubs, the Socialist Party and the Baltimore Council of Religious Education.

Miss Elisabeth Gilman is chairman pro tem of the new group, which held an organization meeting today and will hold a mass meeting the night of January 8. At the latter session, the Rev. Albert Edward Day, pastor of the Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church, will preside. A number of short speeches by Marylanders are on the program.

Caucus Awaited By Miss Risteau

Belair, Md., Dec. 28 (AP).—Miss Mary E. W. Risteau, State Senator-elect of Harford County, denied today that she has entered into an agreement to support any candidate for president of the State Senate. She is a candidate for the office.

Miss Risteau came to Belair and conferred with several Democratic leaders presumably on the coming caucus at which the Senate officer will be elected.

When asked to comment on her choice in the event she is eliminated as a candidate, Miss Risteau said:

"I have had several Democratic candidates contact me by phone, letter and in personal visits to my home in Jarrettsville, but to all of them I have but one answer. That is I shall positively not declare for anyone until the night of the caucus, which will be held New Year's night in the State House in Annapolis.

"Any prior claim of my support is without foundation in fact as I have entered into no agreement to support anyone."

Women Seek Right Of Jury Service

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 28 (AP).—An amendment permitting women to serve on juries will be sought by the Women's Civic League at the legislative session beginning in Annapolis on Wednesday.

This is one of several recommendations to be submitted by women's groups. Others include the elimination of discrimination against women in specified grounds for divorce, ratification of the child labor amendment, shortening and simplification of election ballots, unemployment insurance and the creation of State labor and welfare departments.

Prosperity!

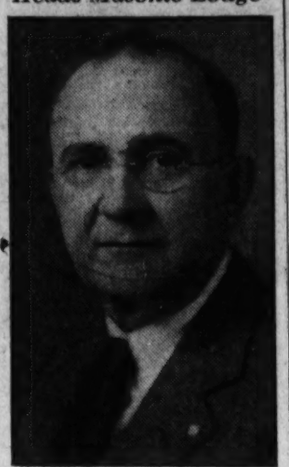
Culpeper Thinks It's Certainly Back.

Culpeper, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—A brief survey of local retail merchants and wholesale dealers indicates that the volume of holiday business in Culpeper showed a substantial increase over that of the last two or three years.

Another indication of "returning prosperity," it is claimed here, is the announcement from the office of G. William Mitchell, treasurer of Culpeper County, that 70 per cent of all county taxes had been collected at that office on December 5, which was the last date on which taxes could be paid without the added 5 per cent penalty, and that 94 7-10 per cent of all State taxes on intangibles had been collected on the same date.

This is an increase of 3 per cent in the collections at the same time a year ago, and compares favorably with other counties in the State.

Heads Masonic Lodge



J. LOCHE BUSHONG, recently elected worshipful master of Manassas Lodge, No. 182, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, at Manassas, Va.

Van Sweringen Reorganization Plan Attacked

Bondholder Challenges Court's Jurisdiction in Railroad Move.

Baltimore, Dec. 28 (AP).—Jurisdiction of the Federal court in the reorganization plan of the Alleghany Corporation of Maryland, a railroad holding corporation controlling the Chesapeake & Ohio and other lines dominated by the Van Sweringen interests, was questioned today by Richard W. Hagen, jr., a New York attorney, in United States District Court.

Hagen, who appeared as counsel for Thomas Campbell, described as a bondholder, objected to the reorganization under the Federal bankruptcy act on the grounds that the Federal court has not authority to act in such matters. He said he believed the affairs of the corporation could be adjusted outside the court.

Judge W. Calvin Chesnut, who presided at the hearing, declined to rule immediately on the question of jurisdiction. He indicated, however, that he did not believe the plan as submitted to the bondholders was affected in any way by being placed in operation under the Federal act.

George Weems Williams, chief of counsel for the Alleghany Corporation, outlined the provisions of the plan, which he said had been approved by at least 72 per cent of the bondholders. He named Campbell, whom Hagen represented at the hearing, as one of the holders of the remaining 28 per cent.

The plan before the court calls for the conversion of $25,000,000 in bond issue into new securities. The corporation declares that it is unable to redeem at this time the present bond issue and asks for a refunding on the issue, which matures in 1950, and upon which the corporation says it is unable to meet interest charges.

Judge Chesnut also is asked to decide whether the corporation shall be continued under its present management or whether a trustee should be appointed, acting under the supervision of the court.

Greenstein Scouts Unemployable Ban

Declares Relief to Aged Will Go On in Maryland.

Baltimore, Dec. 28 (AP).—Harry Greenstein, Federal relief administrator in Maryland, said today those in actual need of relief in the State will get it in the future just as they have in the past without distinction as to whether they are "employable" or not.

This statement was made after Greenstein's attention had been called to a pronouncement of Federal Administrator Harry L. Hopkins that in the future "unemployables" must be supported by States and communities.

"I have not received any recent statement from Mr. Hopkins defining 'unemployables,' said Greenstein, "and there will be no change in the program in Maryland until the Federal Government supplies such a yardstick."

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End Boycott, Martinsburg Citizens Ask

Committee Also Request Modernization of City Charter.

'Unfair List' Established by Labor Groups, Is Charge.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—The citizens' committee of local business, industrial and professional men, which played a successful part in the settlement of two recent industrial strikes, yesterday resumed its open interest in public affairs here by calling for a modernization of the city charter.

This then would be submitted to the State Legislature in January with a plan for approval, along with a request that the Central Labor body here abandon a boycott which is found to have been established for local application.

About 80 members of the citizens' committee, under the chairmanship of Attorney Clarence E. Martin, adopted both proposals without dissenting vote.

The committee called for a nonpartisan, five-man committee to draw up proposals for modernizing the city charter; the chamber of commerce to name two members, and Kiwanis, Rotary and Monarch clubs to name one each.

The recommendations of the committee would be deferred to the parent committee for approval.

Chairman Martin reported the boycott to the meeting, stating that an "unfair list" has been set up. The list was understood to include 13 names. It was also understood that on the list were the names of two business men who took a leading part in composing the differences which had brought on the strikes here. The citizens' committee dropped a suggestion that abandonment of the boycott be demanded upon pain of suspension of further work.

Held Unreasonable.

It was held unreasonable to ask business men on this five-man arbitration committee to serve in settling disputed points while the threat of a boycott hung over them. Instead of demanding the recall of the boycott, the committee used the softer tone of asking its abandonment and requested a reply on Monday. The labor group meets on Sunday.

The resolution calling for a revision of the city charter says it is aimed at reduction of the cost of government; says there is no "political expediency" idea in the proposal, and declares public sentiment favors it.

The city charter was changed materially by the 1932 Legislature. A first election under the revised districts was held this year.

Woman Is Chosen Best Citizen of '34 By Danville Club

Danville, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—To a woman this year went the honor of being proclaimed Danville's best citizen of 1934.

Mrs. Herbert M. Martin, chairman of the American Red Cross Chapter, was awarded the citizenship prize at the last meeting of the Danville Kiwanis Club in 1934.

Each year the club awards a large silver loving cup to the person who has contributed most during the year in the way of citizenship, the selection being made by a committee of award drawn from all of Danville's civic clubs.

Mrs. Martin has been chairman of the Red Cross Chapter since the early war days. The organization has remained active since then and during the years of depression and accompanying relief it has done a large and useful work in providing clothing and hospitalization where needed.

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Baer, at 211, Outweighs Levinsky by 10 Pounds in Chicago Bout

Ring Champ Shows Up in Fine Trim

Crowd of 16,000 Fans, Receipts of $35,000 Anticipated.

Titleholder Is Only One Pound Above Weight in Carnera Fight.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28 (AP).—World Heavyweight Champion Max Baer showed up at the weighing-in ceremony for his four-round exhibition or fight, as the case may be, with King Levinsky at the Chicago Stadium tonight, in surprisingly trim condition, scaling only 211 pounds.

Baer's weight was only a pound more than he scaled the night he won the title from Primo Carnera, and indicated he was ready to do as he promised the Kingfish today—"knock you down a couple of times and maybe knock you out."

Levinsky appeared to be in his best condition, weighing 201 pounds, giving the champion an even 10-pound advantage.

Crowd of 16,000.

The promoters, Jim Mullen and Nate Lewis, said they expected a crowd of about 16,000 and receipts of $35,000, their estimates being based on the advance sale.

Both clowned a little during the weighing in and each appeared as cock-sure as ever. Levinsky took a couple of playful pokes at Baer, who outlined his plan of battle.

"Four rounds don't give a guy much chance to do damage by punching the body," he said. "So, I have decided to punch your head. Even that may not do any good either, for I guess there's nothing there to hurt."

Boxing Crowds At Garden Up 28 Per Cent

Figures Strong Defense for Johnston; Wrestling Declines.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28 (U.P.).—Boxing, so-called ugly duckling of sports, proved to be a goose that laid a golden egg for Madison Square Garden.

Derided and criticized, the Garden's boxing department showed a 28 per cent gain in attendance for the six months ended November 30 over a similar period last year, according to a statement issued tonight by Col. John Reed Kilpatrick, Garden president.

The announcement was in the nature of a defense for James Joy Johnston, the Garden's boxing matchmaker with nine promotional lives. He has been declared out and in at intervals of a few weeks during the last year or so, but still is head man.

Status Is Unchanged.

"Furthermore, his status is unchanged with the Garden," Col. Kilpatrick said.

In announcing a general upward swing in attendance at boxing, six-day bike races, amateur hockey, the horse show, rodeo and National Hockey League games, Col. Kilpatrick expressed himself as pleased with all departments.

This does not include the annual big-time boxing shows in Florida. This year the Garden definitely will skip the grapefruit belt, according to present plans.

Col. Kilpatrick already has told an emissary from Miami that it was a 100-to-1 shot that the Garden would not return there for at yeast another year. While the Maxie Rosenbloom-Joe Knight title fight last year left a small profit, the Primo Carnera-Tommy Loughran fight cost the Garden approximately $25,000.

Cost Is Enormous.

The expense of renovating the Miami Bowl, which seats 55,000, maintenance of a staff there and other expenditures, not to mention the time involved in putting over the show, all combine to cause the Garden to prefer to remain in its own backyard.

Boxing as a whole has not done as well as the Garden executives had hoped. But neither has it done as bad as it might have, according to Col. Kilpatrick, who pointed to the increase as favorable in comparison with other sports. Wrestling, for instance, once most popular, fell off 7 per cent. All sports promoted at the Garden showed an attendance increase of 31 per cent.

Strong Tank Team Is Without Foes

Maryland Club GardensHas Only Duke on Card.

Maryland Club Gardens is in the strange predicament of having one of the most powerful water polo teams in the South Atlantic section, but is unable to find any opponents.

Since the Garden sextet doubled the score on the Navy Plebes at Annapolis last summer, efforts to schedule a game with the yearling five have proved fruitless. The local team, unbeaten since it was organized, and victor in 18 straight games, has only one contest definitely scheduled, that with Duke at Durham, N. C., on January 12.

The only team to face the Gardeners this season has been the Ambassador outfit, which twice has fallen. The Garden team is especially interested in scheduling Virginia teams, preferably for the week-end of the twelfth.

Faces 'King'

Associated Press Photo.
MAX BAER.

Gilbert Hunt Is Extended, 9-7, 6-4

NEW YORK, Dec. 28 (AP).—Indications that he is still not at home on indoor courts were obvious today as Gilbert A. Hunt, No. 1 seeded player, found himself extended to win a fourth-round match, 9-7, 6-4, from Wilson Rood, of Poly Prep, in his quest for the National Junior Indoor championship.

The sole other Washington entry, Harry March, Middle Atlantic boys' champion, was prevented from enternig the quarter-finals when his doubles partner, Arthur Neilsen, jr., of Winnetka, Ill., defeated him, 6—3, 6—4. Victor and Vanquished later teamed up to win a second-round doubles match from William F. Tucker 3d, and Miles B. Suchin, of Dobbs Ferry, 6—0, 6—1.

Robert Low Wins.

Robert A. Low, of Choate School, defending boys' title holder, reached the quarterfinals with a 6—1, 6—2 win over Paul A. Spenrath, of Fordham Prep.

In other boys' matches, Malcolm Weinstein, Baltimore Poly, defeated James R. Filor, of Choate School, 6—2, 11—9, while Henry H. Daniels, jr., of Choate, eliminated Emmett Steel, of Madison, South Dakota, 6—2, 6—1.

Other Favorites Advance.

Most of the favorites in the junior event kept pace with Hunt. Arthur L. Jarvis, of Hackley School, turned in a 6—1, 6—2 triumph over Jack Totten, of the Newark Academy, but John G. Mahoney, sixth seeeded junior star, from the Scarborough School, bowed in straight sets to Sanford Webster, of Kingston, R. I., 8—6, 6—2.

Donald Leavens, the Wisconsin men's champion, who is a freshman at Northwestern University and is seeded fifth among the juniors, earned the right to play ackie Behr, No. 2 junior star, tomorrow when he crushed Albert A. Barrows, jr., of Providence, R. I., for his third one-sided victory in a row. He scored at 6—1, 6—2.

Mt. Airy, Brunswick In Soccer Title Clash

Mount Airy, Md., Dec. 28 (Spl.). With the last-half title in the Shipley Soccer League depending on the outcome of the Mount Airy-Brunswick game, attention of followers of the game will be focused on the local field next Sunday afternoon when the pace-setting Railroaders will furnish opposition for the local aggregation.

To win last-half honors and the right to play Frederick for the flag, Mount Airy must win Sunday's game, whereas the Railroaders would clinch last honors with a tie or victory.

Rules Group Is Against Changes

Players' Safety Is First Consideration of Okeson Body.

Liberalizing of Lateral Pass Plays Only Likely Revision.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28 (AP).—So far as the National Rules Committee is concerned, collegiate football will continue to sacrifice the spectacular for the safety of the player.

Walter R. Okeson, chairman, made that plain today in submitting his report to the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

While Okeson reflected the committee's belief that radical changes are not imperative, he hinted some minor tinkering may come out of the pressure, largely from the outside, that the game be made more colorful and spectacular.

It is expected that any changes will have to do with liberallzing the lateral pass as an offensive weapon.

Safety of Player First.

"The pressure increases," Okeson said, each year to give more weight to the spectators' satisfaction. * * * If our prime object is larger gate receipts then much of their advice is good, but your committee is still old-fashioned enough to feel that the safety of the player comes first."

To back up this point, the committee pointed to the exciting games of the past season as well as to sharp reduction in injuries.

"Your committee feels," the report said, "that it is quite possible to keep the game open, interesting and even spectacular without adding risks which, while not too great for mature men of many years' playing experience, are far too heavy to load on boys of college age."

Cites Developments.

During the past season, Okeson said, the amended rules brought:

An increase in scoring in major games.

A decrease in tie games, especially scoreless games.

Punting at a higher level.

The committee is earnestly studying the proposal to encourage use of the lateral pass, with a view to determining its effect on present rules and on the game itself.

"The use of this weapon is growing and raises several pertinent questions," he continued. "One is, shall an attempted lateral which results in an accidental forward, continue to be penalized by the loss of a down. Second, shall the rule declaring the ball dead if a runner is so held that his forward progress is stopped, be modified to permit lateral and legal forward passing up to the time the passer strikes the ground after a tackle?"

Improved officiating also resulted from the amended rules, Okeson reported, pointing out that the 1934 season was remarkably free from rules misinterpretations.

Federals Again Face Richmond Collegians

Bent on avenging a 13-9 defeat suffered last week, the Washington Federals will invade Richmond again tomorrow for a return football battle with the Collegians of that city.

Two important cogs in each machine will be missing, however. Johnny Fenlon, quarter back and star of the Feds' attack, is vacationing in Michigan and will not be home in time to make the trip. The Collegians will be without the services of Jimmy West, University of Richmond ace, who is certain not to play, as his participation in the last game stirred up a controversy concerning his future eligibility in collegiate competition.

Maryland-W. Va. Game Officials Are Named

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 28 (Spl.). Paul Menton, sports editor of the Baltimore Evening Sun, and John J. Long, of this city, have been selected to officiate at the basket ball game between the University of Maryland and West Virginia University, at the State Armory, this city, Wednesday, January 2, it was announced last night.

University of Maryland officials have requested that Menton, who handled last year's game, be retained in a similar capacity next week. Long will supplant "Vic" May as umpire and also will referee the preliminary contest between Keyser High School and Pennsylvania Avenue High School.

Post Mortems . . .

Richard (Honeyboy) Finnegan, who fought as a featherweight around here in the Berwyn and Kenilworth days, now is a court attache in Boston . . . and owns a couple of restaurants and a night club . . . when he was campaigning in these parts he used to sign contracts stipulating he would meet any opponent selected for him under 130 pounds . . . when New York staged a featherweight elimination tournament shortly after Finnegan left Washington, there were nine entries he had beaten . . . but Finnegan wasn't invited . . . Bernie Moore, who will succeed Biff Jones as head coach at Louisiana State U., was "fired" at the school for about two weeks in 1931 when the Tigers were dealt a new coaching deal that brought in Jones as a successor to Russ Cohen . . . Moore managed to argue his way back into the job as track coach and director of intramural athletics, where Jones soon discovered his football knowledge and elevated him to chief scout and freshman football coach . . . and, **Just 25 Years Ago Today:** Jockey Jimmy Butwell was suspended for the entire Jacksonville meet and fined $250 for using abusive language to the starter.

FINNEGAN.

A Bit of Atmosphere as Coaches Talk Football at Conclave

Coach Hugo Bezdek (left), of Penn State, and Coach Harry Stuhldreher, of Villanova, apparently anticipate a big year in football. The oversized oval is from the display of a sporting goods dealer at the annual meeting of the Nation's coaches now in session at New York.

Associated Press Photos.
Friendly enemies. Coach Gar Davidson (left) of Army, and Coach Tom Hamilton, of Navy, smile as they meet off the field.

Aerial Offense Is Stressed By Indians

Double Workout Is Held as Thornhill Tests Stanford Plays.

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 28 (AP).—Stanford University, preparing for its New Year's football game with the University of Alabama, is all for laying its cards on the table, with no secret practice sessions, but it did the next best thing is morning.

Coach Tiny Thornhill summoned his big Indians out to Brookside Park for an unscheduled forenoon workout when few of the boys were up and around.

This afternoon the boys from Palo Alto worked again, making the first double-header practice periods since last autumn. There was much throwing of footballs, forward, backward and sidewise, as though the Pacific Coast Conference standard bearers wished to show the railbirds that the experts who have said they couldn't pass were all wrong.

Show Tricky Play.

The Redskins displayed a tricky forward pass play, ending in a snappy lateral, and worked this number many times in impressive style.

The spectators who sat in the stands suggested, however, this was part of the astute Thornhill's act and declared they would be surprised if Stanford calls this play even once in the Rose Bowl engagement next Tuesday afternoon.

Bobby Grayson has completely recovered from late-season injuries and many football fans think he will be called upon to carry the ball about four times out of five, with rugged Bones Hamilton, a great blocking back, clearing the way.

Tide Also Drills.

Alabama was satisfied with one light workout today.

There were footballs in the air all over the practice field as 'Bama worked, for Coach Frank Thomas believes in plenty of passes as a way to gain ground with a minimum of effort.

Dixie Howell continued to kick the ball high and far and Frank Alustiza, a few miles away, was booting them just as far if not so high. Alustiza's toe will be an important part of the Stanford offense Tuesday, for he is a supermaster of the quick kick, as many of Stanford's opponents discovered this season.

Bucknell Eleven Arrives in Miami

80 Degree Temperature, Co-eds Greet Squad.

Miami, Fla., Dec. 28 (AP).—Bucknell University's football team arrived here today and immediately demanded cooler weather.

The Bisons play the University of Miami New Year's Day in the Orange Bowl game.

No sooner had the visitors, 22 players and 10 other students, stepped from the train into Miami's 80-degree temperature than co-Capt. George "Butch" Boiston came forward with the petition.

"We demand," said Boiston jocularly, "the city authorities of Miami and the university furnish cool weather until after 5:30 p. m., Tuesday, when they can turn on the heat."

Coach Edward "Hooks" Mylin explained the Bisons have been handicapped in training by cold weather.

The Lewisburg, Pa., players were greeted by University of Miami coeds, who presented baskets of oranges.

Bowling Season to Open.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—This city will have a big season of bowling, although the start will be a late one. No fewer than three leagues will start next week and there is a possibility that Martinsburg will be represented in a league made up of a number of nearby towns.

Fans' Drinking, Betting Held Peril to Coaches

NEW YORK, Dec. 28 (AP).—Warning that the "continued welfare" of college football depends upon curbing "the increase in excessive drinking in the stands" and declaring that the "welfare of the game also is menaced by the ever-increasing betting on results," Charles E. (Gus) Dorais, of the University of Detroit, today called upon the American Football Coaches Association to help eliminate or reduce the effect of these evils.

Dorais' report, as chairman of the committee on public relations, struck the high note of the coaches' annual convention, which also accepted a majority report on rules, showing 80 per cent of the coaches to be in favor of keeping the existing code fundamentally intact, and concluded its sessions by electing Bernie Bierman, of Minnesota, as president, succeeding Dana X. Bible, of Nebraska.

Sees Duty to Public.

"It is not alone our duty to educate but we must also protect the public while they are our guests," said Dorais. "Continued welfare of the coaches depends upon our ability to do something about curbing the increase in excessive drinking in our stands. This committee recommends that a strenuous effort be made to curtail this practice at football games. Refusing admittance to anyone plainly under the influence of liquor and ejection from the stands of those who annoy their neighbors should be a universal practice at college games.

"The welfare of the game also is menaced by the ever-increasing betting on results. This committee has no constructive suggestion to offer in curbing this evil, but calls it to your attention for serious consideration. It might be a step in the right direction if the coaches would discontinue the practice of picking the probable winners for the press.

Hopes to End Alibis.

"This committee believes that public regard for members of our profession could be deepened materially if coaches would refrain from alibi-ing a defeat by casting aspersions on the practices of the rival coach. We believe it would be for the general good of all of us, and the game, if coaches would stand together on a policy of not discussing in public the habits, abilities or alleged shortcomings of rival coaches.

"In this connection, it is the belief of your committee that some coaches sometimes are guilty of a serious breach of good taste in putting the blame for their losses on the shoulders of individual players when talking for publication. Some coaches lose sight of the fact that the game belongs to the boys, not the coaches—that the players are young and inexperienced and that

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Ross Offers to Fight Man Picked by Public

Hot Springs, Ark., Dec. 28 (AP).—With the New York State Athletic Commission frowning upon his match with Frankie Klick in Miami, Fla., next month for the junior welterweight title and suggesting a defense of his lightweight championship was in order, Barney Ross, king of the 135-pounders, has offered to fight any man the public selected as a worthy challenger.

Ross countered the commission's proposal that he meet an outstanding lightweight challenger before engaging in other fights by suggesting that the New York board inaugurate a movement that will make it possible for the public to pick his opponent.

East and West Star Elevens At Peak

Kerr, Hanley Drop Plan for Scrimmage Following Injury to Purvis.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 28 (AP).—All-star football squads of the East and West reached the peak today in their practice procharity game here.

The Easterners, under Coaches Andy Kerr and Dick Hanley, pounded through two strenuous hours at Berkeley. Scrimmage, originally planned, was cancelled. Injury of Duane Purvis, Purdue half back, prompted Kerr and Hanley to drop this routine.

At Palo Alto, Western players climaxed a long drill with a rousing scrimmage. The squad was divided into two teams and the boys charged into each other for the better part of an hour. Coaches Percy Locey and Orin Hollingbery tried out several backfield combinations but a starting unit will not be decided upon before game time.

Purvis' knee injury caused a revision of the Eastern lineup to the extent Harry Leeper, end from Northwestern, has been switched to a blocking quarter back position. It leaves the East with three flank men, with the result Bogdanski, of Colgate, and Borden, of Fordham, both used to playing right end, are learning the left side maneuvers also.

Coast Golf Postponed.

Long Beach, Calif., Dec. 28 (AP).—Because of heavy rains, opening rounds of the $1,500 California open golf championship were postponed until tomorrow. Medal play, 72 holes, was scheduled to have started today on the Lakewood Country Club course.

Code Adopted For College Athletics

Drastic Enforcement Is Avoided as Group Drafts Plan.

Guidance of Officials Is Avowed Objective of Conference.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28 (AP).—A nine-point code for the guidance of colleges and universities struggling with subsidization of athletes—but binding on no one—was adopted today by the National Collegiate Athletic Association as the twenty-ninth annual convention ended as it started—still wrestling to a draw with its most vexing problem.

For a moment in the discussions of the report which Z. G. Clevenger, of Indiana, and his committee have been working on for a year it seemed as if the N. C. A. A. might take the most drastic step it ever has considered in that direction—incorporation of the code into the laws of the association. Violation, then, would mean expulsion from the N. C. A. A.; ostracism among colleges.

Prof. Herman Diederichs, of Cornell, suggested this to the convention, but did not go so far as to put it in the form of a motion and press for a vote when the response was unenthusiastic.

Two Means Approved.

The code approved only two means of encouraging athletes—work for the university at the same wage paid any other student, and permission for athletic authorities to point out in speeches or in response to direct queries "what they believe to be the educational advantages of the institutions they represent."

Seven paragraphs were devoted to "unjustifiable" practices. These included flat subsidies for athletes; pay for work at higher wages than other students receive; employment before matriculation or payment in advance for work to be done; loaning money for remitting fees because boy is an athlete; arranging interviews or corresponding with prospective athletes; promising employment, loans, scholarships and such, other than those available to any student; luring athletes into transferring from other colleges, and the giving of financial aid by alumni, club or fraternity groups.

Maj. John L. Griffith, who was re-elected president of the N. C. A. A., explained that the adoption of the code did not mean the association would try to police all the colleges in its membership along those lines.

"This is a code for the guidance of college presidents or athletic directors who seek the attitude of the N. C. A. A. on these problems," he said. "It is a standard to which eligibility rules for competition between groups of colleges and conferences can be drawn. It is not binding on any member of the N. C. A. A."

The complexities of the problem were reflected in the report of Clevenger to the association.

Subsidizing and recruiting go hand in hand, he said, and "involve so many things and so many institutions, their ramifications are so far reaching inside and out of institutions, that complete solution is a long way in the future."

"However," he said, "even in view of this, some improvement, some advancement toward a more wholesome and more sportsmanlike condition, can be obtained by defining what is proper and what is improper, and then by trying to cause all higher educational institutions to approximate this plane of equality, fairness and sportsmanship."

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Little Argo, Douglas F. Triumph

Widener Contract Rider Then Scores Astride Volta Maid in 4th.

TROPICAL PARK, Fla., Dec. 28 (AP).—When Wayne Wright, crack contract rider for J. E. Widener, won the third race here today he provided several interesting angles to the day's sport. The 18-year-old blond from Rexburg, Idaho, accounted for both ends of the daily double and increased his lead over other jockeys at the current session. The boy guided Little Argo home in the initial event and completed the double killing astride Douglas F. in the third. The latter led Meteoric by 2 lengths, while Highest Point was beaten nearly as much for the place.

Wright, boosting his total winners at the meeting to 11 with his second score of the day, is the first local rider to win both ends of the daily double. The combination today paid $30.40, but it doubtless would have paid more without Wright, as the yellow-haired star has a great following. Douglas F paid $10.70 on his own hook and ran the 6 furlongs in the good time of 1:11. He was the third straight second choice to register.

Merovech Poor Fourth.

One other daily double combination, that ending with Merovech, the favorite in the third race, would have paid less. Merovech lost ground at the home turn and wound up a poor fourth. The choice raced close behind the winner and Meteoric in the early stages and then dropped back. Douglas F. responded to Wright's masterly urging in the stretch and drew away from Meteoric to score easily.

Wright did not stop at merely riding both ends of the double. Wayne came right back in the fourth and rode the $18.50-for-$2 shot Volta Maid to a three lengths score. The mare completed the six furlongs in 1:10 1-5, a fifth of a second slower than the track record and the fastest of the meeting.

Desert Call Second.

Desert Call, finishing second, kept the talent in a gloomy state. The gelding went to the front, but Wright had Volta Maid close on the trail and shot his mount into command at the top of the stretch. After that it was "no contest." Desert Call easily saved the place from Feudal Lord. A light shower fell before this race and it helped to pack down the racing strip.

White Ginger, a hard one to guess, maintained a head advantage under Apprentice P. Roberts for virtually the entire one mile of the fifth race. The gelding refused to stop and lasted to beat out Grandpa's Boy. Both were outsiders in the betting, the winner paying $36.20. The Aenead, well-backed field horse, got up in time to be third, another head back.

Little Argo Pays $7.20.

In the first race, which Little Argo won, Coil, the choice, finished second by a length and a half. Winged Flight was a fast-closing third, a head farther back. Little Argo had the foot of the big field of maiden juveniles and held Coil safe at all stages, although forced to keep under pressure in the final drive. He paid $7.20.

The second event, like the first, saw the second choice beating the favorite by about two lengths. Screen, with Church Parvin up, turned the trick and returned $7.80. Black Song chased the winner home and had three lengths to spare over Rock Eagle, one that showed 30 to 1 on the early approximate odds board and dropped 7 to 1 at the final reading. Black Song was unable to hold his early advantage over Screen, the latter moving clear in the stretch.

Sturdy Ark Scores.

Swimalong was the sixth straight choice to go down to defeat. The gelding stopped after sampling Cabochon's speed and finished next to last. Sturdy Ark came from far back to win by a half-length, paying $7.10. Cabochon held on to earn the place by a length from Just American. The latter closed a tremendous gap.

Eddie Arcaro made it two in a row by piloting Sleepy Joe to victory by a length and a half in the finale. This was the only favorite to win, returning $7.30. Flag Wave was an easy second over Representative.

Alamo Downs Results.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST—Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; 2-year-old maidens.

Lucky Buck, 111 (Keester)..... 10.80 3.90 2.50
Busy Storm, 109 (Grayson)..... 2.90 2.20
Miss Certificate, 109 (McTague)..... 2.60
Dunce, Darkie, Hustling Polly, Son Richard, Wild Iris also ran. Time, 1:24 3-5.

SECOND—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Losing Clon, 104 (Smith)..... 48.10 23.50 12.70
Pirefliah, 107 (Gray)..... 7.90 5.20
Infanta, 112 (Williams)..... 4.80
Koneta Credit System, Brookside, Sue Terry, Thorese Girl, Tremendous also ran.

THIRD—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Parties, 107 (Ritz)..... 5.80 5.10 4.00
Donna Louise, 106 (Smith)..... 7.70 4.20
Marcella Agnes, 112 (Sykes)..... 3.00
Jean Mac, Brilliant Lass, Transpose, Peregrina, Bonnie Kay, Miss Hutcheson also ran. Time, 1:22 3-5.

FOURTH—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Royal See, 107 (Frye)..... 4.90 3.30 2.50
Little Joyce 109 (McTague)..... 4.50 3.30
Olive Sabath, 107 (Smith)..... 3.20
Kranz Baby, Kranella, Rantown Belle, Philwex, Miss Wynona also ran. Time, 1:24.

FIFTH—Six furlongs; the Station KMAC; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Ladino, 106 (Ritz)..... 15.60 6.20 4.80
Polvo's Pride, 103 (Jourdan)... 11.50 7.00
Harky, 111 (Montgomery)..... 8.50
Chinese Custom, Luna Mica, Wanderoo, Playful Martha, *Donna James, Wild Reign, *Hawk Moth, Betty Wee also ran. Time 1:22. *Field.

SIXTH—Mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Espinetta, 110 (Smith)..... 6.80 3.70 3.30
Sizaling, 107 (Cook)..... 4.70 4.50
Carl B., 112 (Cooper)..... 5.60
Truxton, John Mill, Sun Worship, Friar Mark also ran. Time, 2:00.

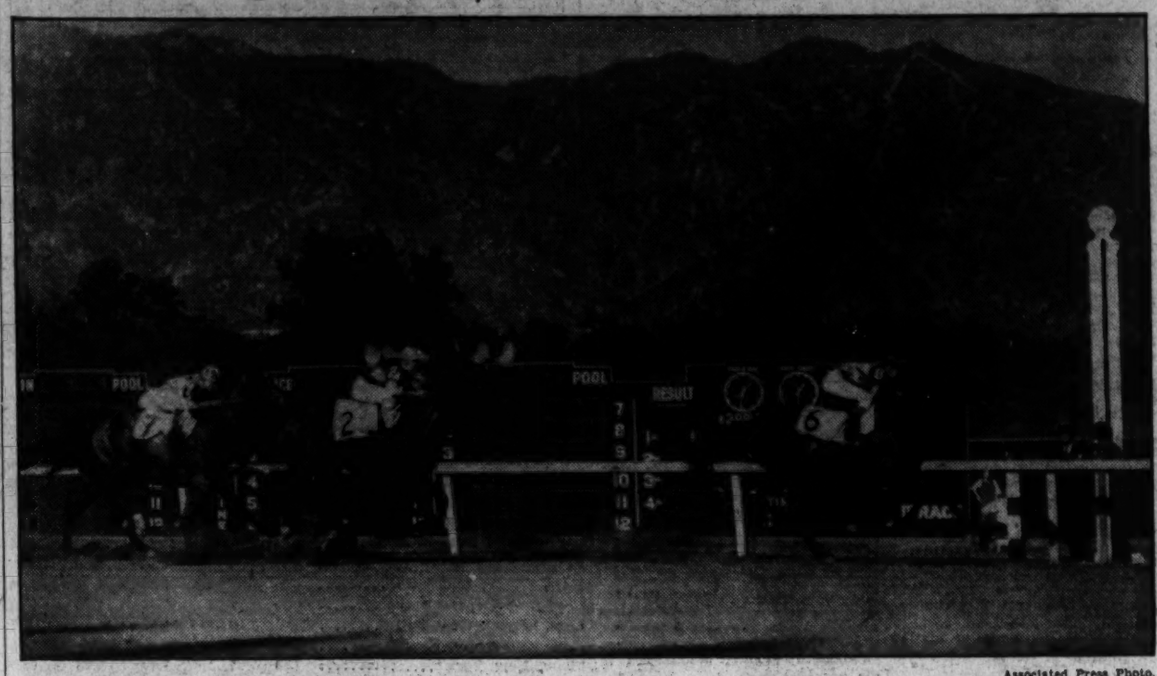
SEVENTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

Gal Along, 110 (McTague)..... 7.20 3.40 3.50
Gay Bird, 108 (Lake)..... 14.60 7.10
Stoo Gap, 108 (Klein)..... 9.20
Spanflow, Burning Feet, High Hatter, Black Bull, Donan, Brother Johnson also ran. Time 2:04 1-5.

EIGHTH—One mile; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Axial, 110 (Craig)..... 9.30 4.80 3.90
Rockhurst, 105 (J. J. Smith)..... 7.10 4.10
Miss Grace, 102 (Ritz)..... 4.80
The Trainer, Mesal, Minnequa, San Gaff, Alcorah also ran. Time, 1:55 4-5.

Legal Racing Returns to Southern California After 25 Years



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With the mountains providing a picturesque backdrop, the Santa Anita track staged Southern California's first legalized racing in a quarter of a century. Las Palmas is seen leading Gateway and Quick Flight to the finish line in the opening event of the meeting.

Tropical Park Entries.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 2-year-olds (divided).

No.	P.	Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
3	1	Scotch Queen (R. Watson)	113	4-1
4	2	Transport (Arcaro)	114	10-1
5	3	Broken Up (Wright)	114	5-2
6	4	La Cherie (J. Renick)	113	20-1
7	5	Sun Chance (Litzenberger)	111	15-1
8	6	Pretty Soft (Gilbert)	111	6-1
9	7	Sassenach (Hardy)	111	20-1
10	8	*Greenstone (Lynch)	106	20-1
11	9	Balmacan (G. Watson)	109	20-1
12	10	Patient Saint (S. Renick)	116	20-1
1	11	*Goldfin (Parvin)	106	10-1
2	12	John Gilpin (Porter)	116	10-1

SECOND RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1		Bushman (R. Watson)	113	5-2
5	2	Flat Rock (S. Renick)	113	6-1
6	3	*Phara (Lynch)	105	6-1
7	4	*Cudgeldoe (Parvin)	105	20-1
8	5	Sun Abbot (Gilbert)	110	12-1
9	6	Calcary Kay (Merritt)	113	12-1
10	7	*Musing (Bryson)	105	10-1
1	8	Limbus (Landolt)	113	8-1
2	9	High Socks (Horn)	113	20-1
3	10	Conacher (Arcaro)	113	4-1

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 2-year-olds (division of first race).

5	1	M. J. Brennan (R. Wat'n)	116	3-1
6	2	Contrast (Litzenberger)	111	12-1
7	3	Cooney (Wright)	113	4-1
8	4	Coin (Lauman)	109	8-1
9	5	Shalot (Arcaro)	116	20-1
10	6	Dancing Lady (Jones)	111	6-1
11	7	†Hastinip (Bryson)	109	10-1
1	8	*Beaver Dam (Lynch)	111	20-1
2	9	St. Morits (Horn)	116	8-1
3	10	*Mickey's Man (Rainey)	109	6-1
4	11	Sing Sing (S. Renick)	110	15-1

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; the Del Ray; allowances; for 2-year-olds.

7	1	Abner (Merritt)	112	8-1
8	2	Roman Soldier (Arcaro)	112	8-1
9	3	Flight of Gold (J. R'ck)	106	10-1
1	4	Cash Girl (Hardy)	109	8-5
2	5	Elwawa (Manifold)	112	15-1
3	6	Uncle Billy (Horn)	110	6-1
4	7	Canterboy (Wright)	110	3-1
5	8	Phildia (O'Malley)	112	20-1
6	9	Manual (W. Garner)	110	12-1

FIFTH RACE—One mile; purse, $1,000; the Sarasota Handicap; for all ages.

5	1	Slapdash (Malley)	117	8-5
4	2	Fair Sickle (Lindberg)	98	10-1
2	3	Sabula (Litzenberger)	113	2-1
3	4	Chastity (Hardy)	109	10-1
1	5	Earl Porter G. Watson)	90	5-2

SIXTH RACE—One mile; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

7	1	Vested Power (Arcaro)	114	5-2
6	2	Shasta Star (Yowell)	111	10-1
5	3	Lot of Lady (Haines)	108	4-1
2	4	Chance Flight (Malley)	106	4-1
3	5	Wise Advocate (Wright)	114	4-1
4	6	Xandra (Fallon)	111	6-1
1	7	Post Guard (Jones)	111	10-1

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

8	1	*Spitfire G. (Lynch)	110	8-1
7	2	*Foxland Hall (Bryson)	110	10-1
6	3	Arab (Wright)	111	6-1
5	4	*Flying Dere (G. Watson)	107	3-1
4	5	Al Neiman (Parvin)	110	9-5
3	6	*Yellow Metal (C. Smith)	107	6-1
2	7	Ahmed (Malley)	111	8-1
1	8	Fair Mole (Arcaro)	111	10-1

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

Santa Anita Entries.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1		*Drastic Rose	109	7 Fritter Circle	108
2		*Black Joe	103	8 Terry Hill	110
3		*Bud Broom	106	9 *Ana X	100
4		Judge Austin	109	10 *Chica	100
5		Polly	105	11 *Ba's Knight	105
6		Two Tricks	107	12 Lamp Black	108

SECOND RACE—One mile; purse, $800; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1		Bushman	105	5 Merrily Yours	105
2		Ch'f Everyreen	108	6 *Sun Caprice	103
3		*Mars Palatine	108	7 Mitivator	108
4		Bugaboo	114	8 *Kent	103

THIRD RACE—One and one-quarter miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1		*Bell Man	108	7 *Royal Julian	107
2		*Schooner	107	8 *De Valley	107
3		*Ricciardo	107	9 *Speckle	107
4		*Searington	107	10 *Indian Red	103
5		Red Mountain	112	11 Kislav	112
6		*Judge Luders	107	12 Culloden	107

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1		Charlot	111	6 *Hastipast	109
2		*Bing Crosby	108	7 My Man	109
3		Gateway	110	8 *Fabulous	108
4		*Levaal	110	9 *Gene D	104
5		*Kenna	110		

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $800; Granded Handicap, Class C; for all ages.

1		Strait Jacket	105	6 Southgallant	98
2		Risky Miss	107	7 Lonsford	110
3		Jazz Band	110	8 Khamseen	107
4		Sh'h Thoughts	110	9 Salaam	112
5		Mr. Bun	106	10 Jack Joe	112

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2,500 added; for all ages.

1		Marooned	117	9 Ims Count	101
2		Teralice	113	10 Rock X	104
3		Frisky Matron	110	11 Semaphore	101
4		*Trumpery	113	12 †Peradventure	104
5		Jabot	108	13 †Gillie	104
6		Red Wagon	107	14 Wacoche	100
7		Sweeping Light	107	15 Royal Blunder	101
8		Wise Daughter	100		

†C. V. Whitney entry.
‡Greentree Stable entry.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $1,000; the Bonny Brook Handicap; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1		Dark Winter	106	4 Mad Frump
2		Thomasville	104	5 Redress
3		Navsped	106	6 Pomposity

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

8	1	*Zevar	106	6 Butter Beans
2	2	*Nipped	100	7 Bill Andy
3	3	*Granwarve	106	8 Star Brook
4	4	Enigmatic	105	9 Listo
5	5	*Sand Baby	106	10 New Sun

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

Racing Selections

Alamo Downs.
(For heavy track.)

1—Pingal, Seventeen Sixty, Hudson Bay.
2—Chicredo, Fair Princess, Explorer.
3—Luna Mica, High Clover, Eric T.
4—Mint Baby, Dark Woman, Old Nick.
5—Biff, Indian Salute, Bedicht.
6—Southard, Semester, Luna Bright.
7—Escoba Lass, Wayward Lad, Daudet.
8—Espinetta, Regia Play, Bunting Lad.
Best bet—Espinetta.
—Louisville Times (A.P.).

Fair Grounds.
(For muddy track.)

1—Black Stockings, Habanero, Brass Buttons.
2—Jaz Age, Commandman, Shirley B.
3—Corida, Occult, Dauntless Miss.
4—Pilkin, Kuvera, Smear.
5—Raffles Ptblem, Whizzaway, Rickey Roo.
6—Fanfern, Counselor Crane, Southland Duke.
7—Racketeer, Lugano, Probtioner.
8—Durva, Sporting Maudie, Hamilton.
Best bet—Black Stockings.
—Louisville Times (A.P.).

Santa Anita.
(For slow track.)

1—Lampblack, Two Tricks, Fritter Circle.
2—Mars Palatine, Chief Evergreen, Bugaboo.
3—Royal Julian, Bell Man, Ricciardo.
4—Bing Crosby, Hastipast, Fabulous.
5—Straitlacket, Mr. Joe, Sharp Thoughts.
6—Jabot, Red Wagon, Marooned.
7—Dark Winter, Mad Frump, Pomposity.
8—Gramarye, Zevar, New Sun.
Best bet—Mars Palatine.
—Louisville Times (A.).

Chart of Tropical Park Races

Friday, December 28 (Associated Press).

WEATHER, CLOUDY. TRACK, FAST.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $500. Claiming price, $1,200. For 2-year-olds; maidens. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 2:07. Off at 2:10½. Winner, Ida Kata's b. c. (2), by Happy Argo—Flower Girl. Trained by H. Wakoff. Value to winner, $375; second, $75; third, $40; fourth, $10. Time, 1:12 1-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
LITTLE ARGO	111	9	3	1½	1½	1½	1½	Wright	$2.60
COIL	114	10	2	2	2½	2½	2	Merritt	1.55
WINGED FLIGHT	103	4	8	9	6	3	3	G. Watson	5.30
BUY STRAIGHT	103	11	1	4½	5½	4	4	Parvin	18.80
SOCK DOLOGER	108	8	10	6	3½	5	5	Malley	60.55
FAN	105	6	5	5	4½	6½	6	Jones	10.95
GOOD CHEER	105	1	11	11	9	9	7	J. Renick	*65.25
MIRA	105	5	9	10	7	8	8	Cowley	47.65
LONG COUNT	105	2	12	12	12	12	9	Porter	51.30
ROPING	103	12	4	3½	10	10	10	Maschek	*
CHAMBERMAID	106	7	6	7	8½	10	11	Haines	10.75
BRAYDON	106½	3	7	7½	11	11	12	C. W. Smith	*

*Field.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—LITTLE ARGO, $7.20, $3.30, $2.40; COIL, $2.70, $2.50; WINGED FLIGHT, $2.70.

LITTLE ARGO, well ridden, was sent to the front with a rush and, rated along to the stretch, drew away in final furlong, but was doing his best to win. COIL, well up all the way, just lasted to save the place. WINGED FLIGHT broke slow, but worked her way up, came to outside in stretch and finished very fast. She would have been second in another stride. BUY STRAIGHT displayed good speed. SOCK DOLOGER ran a fair race.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $500. Claiming price, $1,250. For 3-year-olds and upward; horses and geldings. Start good. Won cleverly; place, easily. Went to post at 2:40. Off at 2:43. Winner, G. L. Flesh's ch. g. (3), by Tryster—Masking. Trained by J. Hicks. Value to winner, $375; second, $75; third, $40; fourth, $10. Time, 1:11 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
SCREEN	103	6	2	2½	2½	1½	1	Parvin	$2.90
BLACK SONG	103	1	1	1	1	2	2	Lynch	1.45
ROCK EAGLE	110	3	4	3½	3	3	3½	Fallon	5.65
BAKERS DOZEN	113	2	3	4	4	4	4	Wright	7.95
MARVELINE	103	4	8	7½	7	5½	5½	C. W. Smith	12.10
GADABOUND	105	5	6	6	6	6	6	Lindberg	11.10
AFFIRMATIVE	105	7	5	5	5	7	7	Rosen	76.05
ROYAL DURBAR	105	8	7	8	8	8	8	Prior	72.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—SCREEN, $7.80, $3.60, $3.30; BLACK SONG, $3.40, $2.80; ROCK EAGLE, $3.90.

SCREEN broke fast, but was eased back off the early pace, moved into lead entering stretch and drew away in final furlong. BLACK SONG had plenty of speed, set fast pace, but weakened in stretch. ROCK EAGLE, well up from the start, made a game effort. BAKERS DOZEN showed flash of speed and is sure to improve. The others were outrun.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $500. Claiming price, $1,250. For 3-year-olds and upward; horses and geldings. Start good. Won easily; place, driving. Went to post at 3:12. Off at 3:13. Winner, B. Evans' b. g. (3), by Angon—Wiklup Topsy. Trained by owner. Value $o winner, $375; second, $75; third, $40; fourth, $10. Time, 1:11.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
DOUGLAS F	113	2	3	1h	2½	2d	1d	Wright	$4.35
METEORIC	115	4	2	2h	1h	1½	2	Fowler	7.35
HIGHEST POINT	115	5	7	6½	5	4d	3h	Arnold	17.35
MEROVECH	115	3	1	3½	3d	3h	4	Porter	5.15
SAND RUNNER	110	6	6	4½	4½	5d	5	J. Renick	4.60
CAPT. JERRY	110	8	4	5d	6d	6d	6d	Prior	35.05
ST. CHRISTOPHER	110	1	9	8d	8d	8d	7d	Knessal	66.85
TOM JACK, JR	110	9	5	7d	7d	7d	8h	Bohn	25.70
STANDOUT	110	9	8	9	9	9	9	Hunter	15.15

Two-dollar mutuels paid—DOUGLAS F., $10.70, $4.30, $2.70; METEORIC, $5.10, $5.10; HIGHEST POINT, $6.50.

DOUGLAS F. got away well in motion and, hustled along from the start, saved ground all the way and drew away at end. METEORIC displayed good speed and held on well. HIGHEST POINT was unable to keep up in early part, but came to the inside in stretch and was third in final stride. MEROVECH was on the outside of the leader all the way, went wide entering stretch, lost several lengths, and tired at end. SAND RUNNER is improving.

WEATHER, CLEAR. TRACK, FAST.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $500. Claiming prices, $2,500 to $2,000. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won easily; place, same. Went to post at 3:44. Off at 3:47. Winner, W. A. Jones' b. m. (5), by Volta—Envy. Trained by C. G. Smithson. Value to winner, $375; second, $75; third, $40; fourth, $10. Time, 1:10 1-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
VOLTA MAID	110	1	2	2h	2d	1½	1d	Wright	$8.25
DESERT CALL	116	5	3	1d	1½	2d	2d	Arcaro	.80
FEUDAL LORD	116	6	5	3½	3½	3d	3h	R. Watson	6.85
MOANE KEALA	107	4	4	4½	5d	4h	4h	Forbes	8.90
FRED ALMY	110	2	6	5d	4d	5d	5½	S. Renick	4.80
EDDY LEE	114	3	1	4h	6	6	6	O'Malley	30.55

Two-dollar mutuels paid—VOLTA MAID, $18.50, $6.10, $3.20; DESERT CALL, $3.10, $2.50; FEUDAL LORD, $4.30.

VOLTA MAID, running in best form, followed DESERT CALL to the stretch turn, where she was sent to the front, drew away, and won nicely in hand. DESERT CALL was in four lengths and refused to lead, but stopped badly. FEUDAL LORD was well up from the start and ran good race. MOANE KEALA was miserably ridden. She got away fast, but boy eased her back, lost several lengths by the move, and then shot her up on inside. FRED ALMY was never a factor. EDDY LEE was outrun.

FIFTH RACE—One mile. Purse, $500. Claiming prices, $2,500 to $1,500. For 2-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 4:17. Off at 4:23. Winner, F. M. Alger, Jr.'s ch. g. (2), by Hourless or White Satin—Sarah Ginger. Trained by G. S. Preece. Value to winner, $375; second, $75; third, $40; fourth, $10. Time, 1:39 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
WHITE GINGER	107	11	4	1½	1½	1h	1h	1h	Roberts	$17.10
GRANDPAS BOY	116	8	6	7	7	3½	2½	2h	J. Renick	29.40
THE AENEAD	112	7	2	6½	6	6½	5½	3½	Critchfield	*3.10
KISSINBUG	98	4	7	5d	5d	3½	4d	4d	Lindberg	8.45
BUSY PRINCE	112	12	10	2h	2h	2d	5d	5h	Horn	16.70
JAKCOVIA	100	10	12	10	9½	10½	7½	6d	G. Watson	20.30
CHARLIE DAWN	115	3	3	4h	4h	4h	6d	7d	Arcaro	4.35
BRINDLE	112	9	8	8½	10d	9d	10d	8d	Jones	3.55
ARAKAY	106	5	11	11d	11d	11d	11d	9d	Maschek	*
LITTLE CYNIC	113	12	9	12	12	12	12	10d	Parvin	3.65
MOTLEY	107	1	1	12	12	12	12	11d	Baird	*
QUEEN VIC	109	10	5	3h	3h	7h	9½	12	Wright	26.60

*Field.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—WHITE GINGER, $36.20, $17.20, $9.40; GRANDPAS BOY, $25.50, $9.80; THE AENEAD, $3.30.

WHITE GINGER, displaying more speed than usual, went to the front soon after the start, showed good speed, and stood long drive gamely. GRANDPAS BOY worked his way up and finished fast. THE AENEAD came to the middle of the track and finished fast. He would have won in a few more strides. KISSINBUG was well up all the way. BUSY PRINCE tired badly in final furlong.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $500. Claiming prices, $1,250 to $1,000. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 4:53½. Off at 4:54½. Winner, J. Farrington's b. g. (3), by Noah—Gentle Julia. Trained by S. T. Greenfield. Value to winner, $375; second, $75; third, $40; fourth, $10. Time, 1:47 1-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
STURDY ARK	113	4	8	6d	5h	5d	5½	1h	Arcaro	$2.55
CABOCHON	108	6	2	1½	1h	1½	1½	2d	Lynch	8.50
JUST AMERICAN	113	5	4	7	6d	6d	6d	3½	S. Renick	3.65
JETON	108	7	3	3d	3h	3h	2½	4d	Bohn	25.70
RELATIVITY	114	2	7	4½	4d	4½	4d	5d	Madeley	16.55
SWIMALONG	113	3	1	2d	2h	2½	3d	6d	Landolt	1.55
DIECASTER	113	1	5	5d	7	7	7	7	Snider	35.00

Two-dollar mutuels paid—STURDY ARK, $7.10, $3.90, $2.90; CABOCHON, $5.90, $3.40; JUST AMERICAN, $3.70.

STURDY ARK moved up gradually, came around field in stretch, caught CABOCHON at the sixteenth pole and won going away. CABOCHON raced SWIMALONG into defeat and held on gamely. JUST AMERICAN came from far back and finished fast. JETON ran good race and is about ready to win. SWIMALONG followed pace closely for six furlongs and then tired.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $500. Claiming price, $1,000. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place, easily. Went to post at 5:23½. Off at 5:24. Winner, J. H. Logan's b. or br. g. (3), by Master Charlie—Antoinette. Trained by C. Ponce. Value to winner, $375; second, $75; third, $40; fourth, $10. Time, 1:48 3-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
SLEEPY JOE	112	2	2	1½	1½	1h	1½	1½	Arcaro	$2.65
FLAG WAVE	112	11	4	4	4½	2h	2h	2d	Manfolda	4.45
REPRESENTATIVE	110	12	8	7½	7½	6d	5d	3½	C. W. Smith	9.10
BARKIS	112	4	5	5d	5h	5½	4½	4d	Long	70.25
BANDERLOG	112	3	7	9½	9h	9h	8h	5h	Bethel	4.85
BARKANTINE	100	6	6	6h	6h	8½	6½	6½	Parvin	3.10
FLAGHORN	100	9	10	8h	8h	7h	7½	7h	G. Watson	54.60
MEETING PLACE	111	10	3	11½	11h	3h	3h	8h	J. Renick	53.30
MODERN ACE	115	8	9	11d	11h	11h	11h	9½	R. Watson	6.35
BLONDINO	108	5	11	2h	2½	4½	9½	10h	Porter	28.00
KILTAMOND	109	1	11	10d	10d	10d	10d	11d	Cowley	*38.00
MY KENTUCKY	115	7	12	12	12	12	12	12	Jones	*

*Field.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—SLEEPY JOE, $7.30, $5.80, $3.80; FLAG WAVE, $8.10, $5.70; REPRESENTATIVE, $4.60.

SLEEPY JOE, rated along behind the pace to far turn, moved up and into lead and drew away easily in stretch. FLAG WAVE made his move turning out of back stretch and held on well. BARKIS ran good race. BANDERLOG came from far back. BLONDINO tired badly after showing early speed.

Davis-Elkins Quintet Wins at Cumberland

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Davis and Elkins College's basket ball team defeated the Cumberland Cloakers, of the Interstate League, 54 to 23.

Davis and Elkins presented a young but rangy set of ball hawks, and, paced by the sharpshooting "Bud" Stump, formerly of Wheeling High School, chalked up a total of 22 field baskets while holding the home club to eight.

Martinsburg, Keyser Clash on Grid in 1935

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Officials of the Martinsburg High School announced they had signed a two-year contract with Keyser High in football. Keyser will appear here next fall, but in 1936 Martinsburg will meet the Mineral Countians in Keyser.

Several new schools will be added to the schedule next year and it was indicated that Harpers Ferry may be one of the additions.

Fair Grounds Entries.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1		*Just Cap	104	5 *Skid	101
2		Habanero	106	6 *Jack Murphy	105
3		Bourbon Prince	110	7 *Bl'k Stockings	113
4		Brass Buttons	104	8 Prince Reno	106

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1		Mazna Mater	112	10 *Shirley B
2		*Mt. Wash'ton	112	11 Monk's Bela
3		*Commandman	112	12 *Sorcery
4		*Justice B	112	13 *Barashkova
5		*Jaz Axe	112	14 *Primer
6		*Mentality	104	15 *Burle
7		*War Dimes	107	16 Burnside
8		*Alkali	107	17 *Ultimate Vote
9		Foxy Quiller	112	18 Don Vern

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

1		Double Nugget	115	10 *Hereward
2		Pola's Flag	107	11 Occult
3		*Pexsy's Pexsy	103	12 Home Rule
4		Almadel, Jr	110	13 D'untless Miss
5		Persuader	111	14 Hip Boots
6		Theron	106	15 Mint Memories
7		Moresorls	110	16 Julia Irene
8		Easy Bid	107	17 *King Belsian
9		*Laughing Toy	98	18 Corida

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1		Sugar Jar	103	5 *Maris Jean
2		Thatch	106	6 Smear
3		*Pitkin	111

Corn Leads Advance of Grain Values

Trade Buying in Cotton Market Boosts Prices 8 to 14 Points.

Chicago, Dec. 28 (AP).—Flurried buying late today gave a brisk rally to corn and wheat prices following a hog market jump to the highest point since last September.

Sudden bulges of corn and wheat values resulted largely from recognition that enlarged feeding demand for grains appeared probable owing to the spectacular rise of hog prices. In turn, the action of the hog market was ascribed to rapid broadening of demand for dressed pork and to severe curtailment of pig supplies.

Corn, which led the advance of grains, closed strong at the day's peak, ½ to 1½ cents above yesterday's finish, May 90½ to 90⅝; wheat firm, unchanged to 1 cent up, May $1.00⅛ to $1.00¼, advanced, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 15 cents.

Preceding the late abrupt switch to the buying side, grain futures averaged lower in price, corn dipping about a cent a bushel, and dragging wheat down. This weakness was associated with unexpectedly mild temperatures over the domestic grain belt and with forecasts of rain or snow likely to benefit crops. Besides, the Liverpool wheat market was heavy and lower, and transient bearish effects resulted also from a request by the Canadian government that until further notice there be no trading at Winnipeg in any grain futures beyond July.

Futures Price Range.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec., old	98⅝	98½	98⅝	98½
Dec., new	98¼	98¾	98¼	98¾
May	99⅛	1.00¼	98¼	1.00¼
July	93½	94¼	92¾	94⅛
CORN—				
Dec., old	94	95¼	93¼	95¼
Dec., new	93⅝	94⅝	92⅛	94¾
May	89½	90⅝	88¾	90⅝
July	86¾	87⅛	85⅝	87⅛
OATS—				
Dec., new	56⅞	57⅛	56⅜	57⅛
May	52⅞	53⅛	52½	53⅛
July	47⅞	48⅛	47⅛	48⅛
RYE—				
Dec., old	....	....	....	74½
Dec., new	75	76½	75	76½
May	75⅛	76⅝	75½	76⅝
July	74⅜	75	74⅜	75⅜
BARLEY—				
December	86¾	76½	86¼	87½
May	....	....	....	80½
July	....	....	....	74½
LARD—				
December	12.55	....	....	12.55
January	12.40	12.47	12.35	12.47
May	12.82	12.87	12.70	12.87

Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 91@91½.
CORN—New No. 5 mixed, 87; No. 3 yellow, 91¼; No. 3 white, outside weights, 94¼.
OATS—No. 2 white, 58½; No. 3 white, 57@57½.
RYE—No sales.
BUCKWHEAT—No. 1, 1.39; No. 2, 1.37.
SOYBEANS—No. 2 yellow, 1.16@1.17, net track country station.
BARLEY—76@1.05.
TIMOTHY SEED—16.50@17.50 cwt.
CLOVER SEED—15.50@22.50 cwt.

Cotton Market

New York, Dec. 28 (AP).—Cotton was higher today on trade buying and covering prompted by reports of firm markets abroad. The upward trend in the stock and the grain markets was another factor in the moderate strength. The market closed steady at net advances of 8 to 14 points.

Very little hedging made its appearance, either against operations in producers' pool cotton or other sources, and contracts became comparatively scarce following the reactions of the past two days.

This left the market sensitive to buying orders and near months were relatively firm on the advance which carried January up to 12.59 and October to 12.61. Closing quotations were at or within a point of the best.

The buying here through houses with foreign connections, following advances in the Liverpool and Bombay markets, led to talk of prospects for an improved export demand.

Commission house demand was restricted, but there was some further price-fixing by the domestic trade and recent selling had evidently left the market in a healthy technical position.

Exports today, 11,748, making 2,439,311 so far this season. Port receipts, 17,695. United States port stocks, 3,115,053.

Futures Price Range.

	High.	Low.	Last.
January	12.59	12.49	12.59
March	12.68	12.60	12.68
May	12.75	12.69	12.74-75
July	12.78	12.70	12.78
October	12.61	12.57	12.60
December	12.68	12.64	12.67*

Spot steady; middling 12.85.
*Nominal.

Cottonseed Oil.

Bleachable cottonseed oil was decidedly firm today, closing at net gains of 6 to 12 points and at the best schedule for the year for the distant positions. Sales, 212 contracts. There was much switching of January, March and May for July. A sharp upturn in the hog market with the highest prices since last September, a good rally in corn, buying by houses with cotton and Wall street connections and the firmness of crude-oil markets encouraged sentiment. Bleachable spot, nominal; January closed 10.65, March, 10.60; May, 10.70; July, 10.79.

Money Markets

Foreign Exchange.

New York, Dec. 28 (AP).—Foreign exchange irregular. Great Britain in dollars, others in cents.

Great Britain—Demand, 4.93⅛; cables, 4.93⅜; day bills, 4.93⅛.
France—Demand, 6.60⅛; cables, 6.60¼.

Demand Rates.

Italy	8.64½	Austria	18.85
Belgium	23.49	Hungary	29.90
Germany	40.25	Rumania	1.01
Holland	67.72	Argentina	32.90
Norway	24.82	Brazil	8.62
Sweden	25.75	Tokyo	28.75
Denmark	22.05	Shanghai	24.90
Finland	2.19	Honskong	42.95
Switzerland	32.43	Mexico City	
Canada	99.84	(silver peso)	27.85
Portugal	4.49½	Montreal in New York	100.50
Greece	1.03⅜		
Poland	18.80	New York in Montreal	99.50
Czechoslovakia	2.97½		
Yugoslavia	2.20		

*Nominal.

New York.

Call money—Steady; 1 per cent all day. Time loans, steady; 3 days & months, 1 per cent. Prime commercial paper, 3. Bankers' acceptances, unchanged. Re-discount rate, New York Reserve Bank, 1½ per cent. Bar silver, firm, 45. Mexican dollars, 34. The advance here followed the rise in the London market, which was attributed to speculative buying there.

London.

Bar gold remained unchanged at 140s 10½d. (U. S. equivalent $34.79.) Bar silver firmer; spot and forward, 24⅛d. (U. S. equivalent 34.23 cents). Bar silver delivered today bought 226,000 in bar gold. Money, ½ per cent. Discount rates, short and three-month bills, ½ per cent.

Paris.

Three per cent rentes, 73 francs 70 centimes; 4½ per cent rentes, 91.80. Exchange on London, 76.19. The dollar was quoted at 15.14.

Finance, Business, Economics

Majority of Spokesmen for Business Are Found Urging Continuance of NRA With Modifications, Despite Their Objections to Various Aspects of Program.

(By Special Writer of The Post).

A year ago a good many business men thought that the national recovery act was a temporary experiment that would be abandoned when the emergency law expired. Today a majority of spokesmen for business are urging its continuance with modifications in spite of their objections to various aspects of the NRA program.

This qualified indorsement is particularly striking in view of the fact that the recovery act has disappointed the sanguine expectations of its supporters and given rise to numerous still unsettled controversies over price and production control policies.

The consumers' industries committee, in recommending extension of the recovery act, states that if industry is to be held to higher costs of production by virtue of hours and wages provisions, then industry must be upheld against destructive competition by policies and by provisions of the character mentioned" (that is, policies designed to prevent destructive price-cutting). A sudden or early termination of the codes would, it is said, "result in confusion and untold harm."

Business Conference Urged Extension of Recovery Act.

The conference on business recovery, recently held at White Sulphur Springs, likewise urged extension of the recovery act on the ground that its expiration would entail hardship in certain industries. Although the conference made various recommendations to insure the voluntary character of codes, it is noticeable that there is no intimation that the rejection of these proposals would bring demands for a return to the unregulated conditions that existed before the NRA was established.

It is equally striking to note that representatives of the American Federation of Labor indorse retention of the maligned section 7(a) of the recovery act, apparently believing that its ambiguities are not an insuperable obstacles to effective bargaining. It seems, therefore, that neither capital nor labor is disposed to rebel against regimentation along the lines of the recovery act. Both have secured concessions from the Government that are considered too valuable to be surrendered. Criticisms are directed against specific aspects of the recovery program.

The great mistake made by the NRA in undertaking to administer codes for small intrastate businesses and service codes was responsible for much of the trouble that came to a head last spring at the time that the Darrow board made its report. The recovery administration should have concentrated its efforts upon assisting the country's major industries to enforce codes of fair practice. By dissipating its energies, the NRA lost much valuable time, and brought into disrepute policies designed to fix prices and limit output which, if selectively employed and judiciously enforced, would have had much to commend them.

Richberg Believes in Qualified Price Maintenance.

Mr. Richberg, the dominant figure in the reorganized NRA, believes in qualified price maintenance (to prevent destructive price-cutting) and in a certain amount of production control. He seems inclined, too, to study the needs of each industry instead of applying the same abstract theories of control to all of them.

However, the recent suspension of minimum price fixing under the lumber code, with retention of production control is interpreted to mean that the new NRA will introduce much greater freedom in price competition in natural resources as well as other industries. Mr. Richberg says that he favors liberalization of the anti-trust laws in order to prevent dishonest business practices and unfair competition, but so far there have been no precise declarations of what such liberalization connotes.

In face of blunders, strategic retreats and arbitrary edicts, it is, nevertheless, a fact that organized labor and organized industry are asking a new lease of life for the NRA, indicating that Government intervention, while resented at times, is on the whole regarded as preferable to a return to former unregulated conditions.

Wool Market.

Boston, Dec. 28 (AP).—(United States Department of Agriculture).—Bids were being made quite freely on the finer grades of Western grown wools, and some of these wools were selling at steady prices. Many bids were below recent selling prices, but they were not being accepted. Average twelve months Texas wools were receiving some call, and sales were closed on spot offerings at 68@70 cents scoured basis. Recent direct business on similar wools held in the country was reported to have been closed at 63@65 cents scoured basis, delivered East.

Steel Prices Unchanged.

New York, Dec. 28 (AP).—Steel prices unchanged.

U. S. Treasury Receipts.

(Associated Press.)

The position of the Treasury December 26 was: Receipts, $84,616,532.12; expenditures, $97,369,229.20; balance, $2,571,-946,219.50; customs receipts for the month, $28,574,007.16.

Receipts for the fiscal year (since July 1)—$1,831,213,651.63; expenditures, $3,314,395,704.34 (including $1,818,406,429.09 of emergency expenditures); excess of expenditures, $1,583,182,052.91; gold assets, $8,228,459,371.37.

Receipts for December 27, 1933 (comparable date last year)—$108,270,527.82; expenditures, $105,244,595.38; net balance, $1,072,247,019.54; customs receipts for the month, $23,254,055.55.

Receipts for the fiscal year, $1,455,-910,649.62; expenditures, $3,970,154,449.06, including $1,116,070,372.86 of emergency expenditures; excess of expenditures, $1,114,234,899.44; gold assets, $3,201,671,617.57.

Bond Transactions on N. Y. Curb

(Associated Press.)

Total yesterday, $10,572,000. Previous day, $13,316,000. Week ago, $10,382,000. Year ago, $11,368,000. Two years ago, $10,470,000. January 1 to date, $3,719,087,000. Year ago, $3,369,623,000. Two years ago, $2,959,799,000.

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS.
(Sales in $1,000. Dollars and 32ds.)

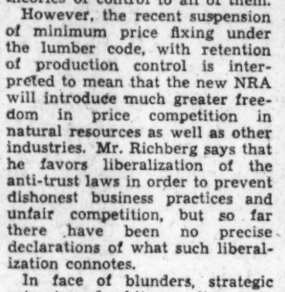
Sales		High	Low	Last
	Liberty			
27	3½s '32-47	103.20	103.18	103.18
39	1st 4¼s '32-47	103.17	103.16	103.16
5	1st 4½s '32-47 reg	103.14	103.14	103.14
1	1-2 4¼s '32-47	102.23	102.23	102.23
7	4th 4¼s '33-38	103.23	103.21	103.23
147	4¼s '33-38 cld	101.29	101.27	101.27
5	4th 4¼s r 33-38c	101.28	101.28	101.28
	Treasury			
4	4¼s '47-52	113	113	113
16	3¼s 43-45	102.31	102.28	102.31
5	4s '44-54	108.27	108.24	108.27
1	3¼s reg '40-43	104.11	104.11	104.11
25	3⅜s '41-43 Mch	104.16	104.16	104.16
3	3¼s '41	104.20	104.16	104.20
84	3¼s '44-46	102.29	102.20	102.26
37	3¼s '46-49	101.28	101.23	101.27
342	3¼s '49-52	101.20	101.17	101.19
79	4s '46-48	100.27	100.24	100.27
91	3 '51-55	100.28	100.25	100.27
165	Pd F Mtg 3 '49	99.22	99.18	99.22
2	Fed F Mtg 3¼'64	101.16	101.16	101.16
155	Home O L 4 '51	101.1	100.26	101.1
215	H O L 3 '52	99.24	99.20	99.24
152	H O L 2¾ '39-49	96.24	96.20	96.24

CORPORATION BONDS.

Sales		High	Low	Last
	A			
16	Alleghany 5 '50	23	22	23
44	Am & F P 5 2030	58	54½	56
20	Am I G Ch 5½ '49	106¼	105	105
42	Am Roll M 5 '38	109¾	109⅞	110¾
6	Am Smelt 5 '47	103½	103	103¼
5	Am T & T 5½ '43	111½	111½	111½
11	Am T&T 5 '65	111⅜	111	111⅜
5	Am T&T 4½ '39	107	106½	107
48	Am W W & E 5 '44	92½	91½	92½
16	Arm 4½ '39	102⅜	102¼	102⅜
11	AT&SF cvt 4½ '48	106⅜	106½	106⅜
24	AT&SF 4 '95	107¼	106⅝	107¼
4	A C Line 1st 4 '52	100¾	100¾	100¾
14	Atl Refin 5 '37	107¼	107¼	107⅜
	B			
8	B & O rfs 6 '95	80	79½	80
19	B & O 1st 5 '48	106⅝	106	106⅝
14	B & O cvt 4½ '60	54½	53	54½
20	B & O 4 '48	101⅝	101¼	101⅝
4	Bell T Pa 5 '48 B	113½	113¼	113¼
1	Beth Stl rfs 5 '42	106	106	106
30	Bost & Me 5 '67	73	72	73
47	Bklyn M Tran 6 '68	104¾	104¼	104½
13	B R & P 4½ '67	66	65⅝	66
	C			
5	Can Nat Ry 4½ '56	114¾	114⅝	114⅝
7	Can Nat Ry 4½ '68	105½	104½	104½
3	Can Nor 7 '40	107¼	107¼	107½
17	Can Pac 4½s '60	95⅝	95½	95½
20	Can Pac 4 perp	85½	85	85½
8	Can Ill E&G 5 '51	71½	70¼	70¼
21	Cen Pac 5 '60	76	75⅛	76
11	Can Pac 1st 4 '49	98	97¼	98
23	Certain-td 5½ '48	71½	70½	71½
45	Chesap Corp 5 '47	104¾	104¼	104⅝
7	Ches & Ohio 4½ '78	107	107	107
3	Chi G L & Ck 5 '37	103⅜	103⅛	103½
4	Chic Gt West 4 '59	30½	30	30½
90	CMSP & Pac 5 '75	22¾	21	22⅜
38	CMSP&P adj 5 2000	6½	5¾	6¼
123	Chi & NW cv 4½ '49	19⅝	18	19⅛
26	CRI&P cvt 4½ '60	7⅝	6	7⅝
18	C R I & P rfg 4 '34	16	15	15
11	Ch & W Ind 4 '52	92½	91½	91⅝
28	Chile Cop 5 '47	79	78½	79
7	Cinn Gas & E 4 '66	104	103½	103⅞
22	CCC&StL 4½ '77E	74	73½	73½
7	C Un Term 4½ '77C	89¾	89½	89¾
1	Colon Oil 5 '38	38	38	38
4	Col Indus 5 '34	24¼	24¼	24¼
3	Colombia G 5'52 May	81½	81½	81½
2	Colombia G 5 1961	81	80	81
5	Colmbus RP 4½ '57	98½	98¼	98¼
1	Com'l Inv Tr 5½'49	111	111	111
39	Con Gas NY 5½ '45	104¼	103⅜	104
111	Con Gas NY 4½ '51	98⅝	97½	98
6	Crown Cork 6 '47	106⅛	106	106
10	Cuba No Rr 5½ '42	35¼	34	34
104	Cub Cane Pr 6 '50	1⅞	1½	1⅞
	D			
17	Del & Hud rfg 4 '43	94⅝	93¾	94⅝
9	D&RG 4 '36	36⅛	36	36
4	Det Ed 5 '52	109¼	109	109
7	Det Ed 4½ '61	106½	106⅜	106½
15	Dodge Bros 6 '40	107	106¾	106¾
7	Duque L 4½ '67A	108⅛	107⅞	108⅛
	E			
12	Erie rf 5 '75	71½	71	71⅛
20	Erie gen lien 4 '96	76⅛	75⅞	76⅛
	G			
6	Gen Cable 5½ '47	87½	86	86
4	Gen Petrol 5 '40	103	103	103
1	Gen El Cast 5½ '40	88¾	88¼	88¼
7	Goodrich 6½ '47	108⅛	108⅛	108½
42	Goodyr T&R 5 '57	104	103⅝	104
18	Gr Tk Ry Can 6 '36	106⅝	106⅜	106⅝
45	Gt Nor Ry 7 '36	92½	91½	92½
49	Gt Nor 4½ '77E	75	74½	75
	H			
3	Hudson Coal 5 '62A	43½	42	43½
4	Hud&Man rfg 5 '57	88½	86	86
16	Hud&Man inc 5 '57	36¼	34½	36¼
	I			
6	Ill Bell Tell 5 '56	110½	110⅛	110⅛
5	Ill Cen 4¾ '66	59¼	58¼	59
1	IS&CSL&NO 5 '63A	75¼	75¼	75¼
10	Ill Steel 4½ '40	106⅞	106⅝	106⅝
3	Inland St 4½ '78 A	103⅜	103½	103⅜
4	Interb R Tr 6 '32	63	63	63
36	Interb RTr rfg 5 '66	82¼	81¾	82½
27	Int Cement 5 '48	99⅝	99¼	99⅝
23	Int Hydro El 6 '44	49	48½	48½
31	Int Paper 5 '47	71⅞	71¼	71⅞
14	Int T&T 4½ '52	58¾	58	58¾
22	Int T&T deb 5 '55	64	63	64
	K			
9	K C South 5 '50	72½	72	72
10	K C Term 4 '60	106	105¾	105¾
3	Kans G & E 4½ '80	100½	100¼	100½
	L			
1	Lac Gas 5½ '53	62	62	62
10	Lautaro Nit 6 '54	9½	9½	9¼
1	Liggett & M 7 '44	131	131	131
7	Loew's Inc 6 '41	106¼	104¾	105¼
3	Lorillard Co 5 '51	112½	112½	112½
8	Louis & N A 4 '40	104¾	104¼	104½
	M			
12	Manhat Ry 4 '90	57½	56¾	57½
27	McK & Rob 5½ '50	93½	93	93½
105	Midvale Stl 5 '36	102¾	102⅜	102¾
8	M E Ry & L 5 '61B	77¾	77½	77¾
20	MSP & SSM c 4 '38	30½	30	30
6	M-K-T 1st 4 '90	85½	85	85½
3	Mo Pac 5½ '49	7	6½	7
22	Mo Pac 5 '77 F	25	24⅝	25
14	Mo Pac gen 4 '75	9¼	9	9¼
23	Mo Pac 5 '81 I	25¼	24½	25¼
6	Mont Pw rfg 5 '43	93¾	93½	93¾
	N			
35	Nat Dairy 5¼ '48	102½	102⅜	102½
23	Natl Steel 5 '56	107	106⅝	106⅝
4	New Eng T&T 5 '52	115	115	115
6	N O Pub Sv 5'55B	54½	54½	54½
11	NO TexA&M 5½ '54	35¼	35	35
51	NYC cvt 6 '44	111	110⅛	110½
71	NYC rf 5 2013	65	64	64¾
15	NYC con 4 '98	85⅝	85½	85⅝
2	NYC&HR 4½ 2013	59¾	59	59⅝
39	NY Ch&StL 4½ '78	60½	60	60½
9	N Y Edis 6½ '41	112⅞	112¾	112⅞
5	NY G EL H&P 5 '48	116	116	116
11	NYLack & W 4 '73A	98¾	98¼	99¼
20	NYNH&H cvt 6 '48	45	44¼	44¾
39	NYNH&H 4½ '67	39¾	39¾	39¾
10	N Y Tel 4½ '39	109¼	109⅛	109¼
14	NY W&Bost 4½ '46	27½	26¼	27½
2	Niagara Sh 5½ '50	62	61¾	61¾
7	Nor Am Co 5 '61	83	79	79
18	Nor Am Ed 5½ '63	80	78¾	78¾
64	Nor Pac 6 2047	98½	98	98¾
26	Nor Pac 4 '97	102¼	101¾	101¾
28	Nor States Pw 5 '41	103⅜	103⅛	103⅜
	O			
13	Or-Wash RR&N 4'61	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
19	Otis Steel 6 '41	68	65¼	68
	P			
1	Pac Gas&El 5 '42	106	106	106
1	Pac T&T 5 '37	107	107	107
16	Par-F-Las 6'47filed	51⅛	49½	51⅞
52	Par Pub 5½'50filed	62	60½	61⅞
6	Penn Dix 6 '41 A	78	77½	77½
59	Pen P&L 4½ '81	98¼	97⅜	98⅛
1	Pen RR gen 5 '68	110⅜	110⅜	110⅜
10	Pen RR gen 4½'65	105⅞	105⅛	105⅝
15	Pen RR 4½ '84 E	99¾	99⅜	99¾
17	Pen RR 4½ '70	93½	93½	93⅝
6	Peo GL&C Chi 5'47	98⅝	98⅜	98⅝
28	Phila Co 5 '67	81	80	80½
5	Phil Read C&I 6'49	51	50¼	50¾
2	Ph Read C&I 5½'73	73¼	73¼	73¼
12	Phillip Pet 5¼'39	102	101⅝	102
80	Porti Gen E 4½'60	51	48⅝	51
36	Postal Tel&C 5 '53	43½	41¼	43
8	Pure Oil 5½ '37	100½	100½	100½

XIN—Ex interest.
CT—Certificates.

Bond Averages Daily



Sales		High	Low	Last
	E			
3	Readg 4½ '97 A	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞
12	Ren Rand 5½ '47	99½	99¼	99¼
	S			
2	StLIM&S 4 R&G '33	62¾	61⅞	62¾
36	St L S F 4½ '78	12⅛	11¾	12½
8	St L S F 4 '50 A	15½	15	15⅜
5	StP&KC SL4½'41(c)	15¼	15¼	15¼
109	Seab A L con 6 '45	10½	9⅞	10⅛
17	Shell Pipe L 5 '52	103	103	103
7	Shell Un 5 '47	102¾	102¼	102¼
12	Sinc C Oil cel 7 '37	103	102½	103
3	Skelly Oil 5½ '39	98¾	98½	98¾
7	So Bell T&T 5 '41	109	108½	108½
56	Sou Pac 4½ '81	64½	63¾	64¼
27	Sou Pac 4½ '69	65¼	64¾	65¼
53	Sou Ry con 5 '94	101	100½	101
2	Sou Ry gen 4 '56	58	57½	58
1	S W Bell Tel 5 '54	109½	109½	109½
5	St Oil N J 5 '46	102¼	102¼	102¼
7	St Oil N Y 4½ '51	103¾	103¼	103¾
5	Studebaker 6 '42	44	43	44
	T			
2	Ten El Pow 6 '47 A	89¾	89¾	89¾
18	Tex Corp 3 cvt '44	103¼	103	103
5	Third Ave adj 5 '60	25⅜	25⅜	25⅜
73	Tob Pr NJ 6½ 2022	101¼	101	101
	U			
5	Un Pac 4½ '67	104½	104½	104½
3	Un Pac 1st 4 '47	108½	108	108
1	Unit Drug 5 '53	90	89¾	89¾
16	U S Rub 5 '47	90¼	90	90¼
10	Util P&L 5½ '47	25¼	25	25
7	Utah P&L 5 '44	68	67¼	67½
21	Util P&L 5 '59 ww	21¼	20⅜	20⅝
	V			
16	Vanadium 5 '41	86½	85	86½
16	Virginian Ry 5 '62	111⅜	110½	111⅜
	W			
17	Warner Bros 6 '39	58⅜	57½	58½
4	West Md 4 '52	87½	87¼	87½
30	West Pac 1st 5 '46	33½	33	33⅛
12	West Union 6½ '36	101¼	100¾	100¾
4	Western Un 5 '51	86	85½	86
5	Western Un 5 '60	85¼	84½	85¼
22	Wheel St 4½ '53	89¼	88¾	89¼
2	Wilson & Co 6 '41	108¼	108¼	108¼
	Y			
23	Youngst S&T 5 '78	93	91¾	93
	FOREIGN BONDS.			
11	Abitibi P&P 5 '53	33	32½	33
2	Argentine 6 '37 A	93¾	93¾	93¾
11	Arg 6 sf '59 June	94¼	94	94
8	Arg sf 6 1960 May	94¼	94	94
30	Arg 6 1961 Feb	94	93½	93¾
33	Argentine 4½ '71	90¼	90	90
9	Australia 5 '57	102	101½	102
19	Australia 4½ '56	96⅞	96½	96⅝
25	Austria 7 '57	89¾	88½	88½
12	Belgium 7 '56	106¾	106	106¼
1	Belgium 6 '55	102½	102½	102½
1	Berl City El 6½ '51	36½	36½	36½
20	Bolivia 3 '47	6¼	6	6¼
2	Bolivia 7 '69	5¾	5¾	5¾
6	Brazil 8 '41	39½	39¾	39¾
28	Brazil 6½ '26-57	32	31¾	32
6	Brazil 6½ '27-25	31¾	31½	31¾
6	British 5½ '37	115	114½	115
9	British 4 '60-90	118	117⅝	118
25	Buenos A 6 '61 sta	61¾	61¾	61¾
2	Bulgaria 7½ '68	19	18½	19
4	Bulgaria 7 '67	18⅝	18	18⅝
4	Canada 5 '52	112½	112½	112½
8	Canada 4 '60	106¼	106	105½
3	Chile Mt Bk 6¼'61	14	14	14
3	Chile 7 '60	14	13⅞	13⅞
3	Chile 6 '61	13¾	13¾	13¾
26	Colomb 6 '61 Oct	38¼	37½	38¼
2	Copenhag 5 '52	91¾	91¾	91¾
13	Cuba 5½ '45	23¾	23¾	23¾
4	Denmark 4½ '62	92½	92¼	92¼
1	El Pow Ger 6½ '50	35½	35½	35½
1	Finland 5½ '58	100¼	100¼	100¼
1	French 7½ '41	185¾	185¾	185¾
13	GerCAg Bk6 '38Apr	54	53	54
18	GerGov Inti 5½ '65	28	27⅝	28
26	Ger Govt 7 '49	38	38⅛	39
3	Ger Gen El 6 '48	40½	40	40
4	GtConElPJap 7 '44	85⅛	85¼	85¼
28	Italy 7 1951	91	90½	91
10	Japan 6½ '54	98¼	98¼	98⅛
27	Jap Water 5½ '50	99½	99¼	99½
7	Milan City 6½ '52	81¼	81	81¼
15	Minas Ger 6½ '58	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛
6	N Sou Wales 5 '58	100¼	100¼	100¼
4	North Ger Ll 6 '47	63	63	63
2	Norway 6 '44	104	104	104
1	Norway 5 '63	98¼	98	98¼
9	Orient Dev 5½ '58	78	75	75¼
56	Par-Ori RR 5½ '58	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
11	Peru 1st 8 '60	8	8	8
11	Poland 5 '50	8	8	8
1	Poland 7 '47	115	115	115½
1	Prussia 6 '52	27¾	27¾	27¾
7	Rhine West 6 '55	30	30¼	30¼
3	Rio de Jan 6½ '53	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞
4	Rome 6½ '52	82	82	83
1	Sao Paulo St 7 '40	93	93	93
1	Sax Pub Wk 6½ '51	32	32	33
9	Serbs Cts Sl 7 '62	25	24½	25
9	Sydney 5½ '55	96	96	96
2	Toho El Pow 7 '55	86	86	86
44	Tokyo El Lt 6 '53	76½	76½	76½
10	Ujigawa El P 7 '45	87	87	87
1	Un Stl Wk 6½'51A	34½	34½	34½
18	Uruguay 6 '60	41	40¾	40¾
1	Vienna City 6 '52	82½	82½	82½
4	Yokohama 6 '61	81¼	81¼	81¼

Bonds Climb Despite Drop In Turnover

Secondary Loans Revive; Trading Volume Falls to $10,572,000.

New York, Dec. 28 (AP).—A revival of secondary loans gave the bond market a firm appearance today, although the activity was considerably under that of the previous session.

The recent depressed rails and utilities showed the greatest rallying powers. Gains and losses in the industrials were about evenly divided and prime investment issues did little or nothing.

The upturn in the lower-priced groups was attributed partly to year-end switching, largely in connection with adjustments for the income tax records.

Transfers Decline.

Transfers totaled $10,572,000, par value, compared with $13,316,000 yesterday. The Standard Statistics Co. average for 60 domestic corporate loans was up two-tenths of a point at 85.6.

Among some of the principal gainers of 1 to 2 or more points were Alleghany Corporation 5s at 23, American & Foreign Power 5s at 56, American Water Works 5s at

Stocks Jump 2.6 Points in Year-End Rise

Buying Old-Line Leaders Aids Market; Trading, 1,276,051 Shares.

New York, Dec. 28 (AP).—Readily absorbing year-end tax selling, the stock market thrust its way upward in the late trading today with a vigor reminiscent of some of the rallies in final sessions of other years.

Substantial buying in old-line industrial leaders lifted the market out of the bounds of its recent narrow range and piled up numerous gains of 1 to 4 points.

The advance gathered headway in the final half-hour of trading and closing prices were about the best of the day. It swept the Standard Statistics Co. average for 90 selected stocks up 2.6 points to 74.7, the largest rise in the averages in one session since June 8.

Turnover Is Smaller.

Turnover was smaller than in the previous session, however, mainly ascribed to a diminution in year-end selling, although hundreds of cash sales on the ticker tape attested to the continuation of such liquidation for the purpose of registering profits or losses against tax payments. Volume totaled 1,276,051 shares against 1,641,665 yesterday.

As Wall street veterans recalled, year-end rallies in the security markets have become something of a tradition. With the dwindling of year-end liquidation of various kinds, demand for shares by buyers hopeful of a continuation of business recovery next year moved prices up easily.

Brokers pointed out the display of New Year spirit in the broad upswing of share prices had some tangible backing this year in extra-seasonal gains in steel, motor car and electric production, and other business barometers lately. The market for some time, while year-end liquidation was underway, had been making little response to business news.

American Can Jumps.

American Can jumped 4¼ points to a new 1934 peak at 114. American Sugar advanced nearly 3 to 65, du Pont 2¾ to 96, Chrysler about 2 points to 41¾ and Spiegel-May-Stern 5¼ to a new top around 75.

The hard-pressed utilities rallied with the rest of the list. Consolidated Gas preferred recovered nearly 4 points of its losses earlier in the week. Santa Fe, New York Central and other rails were up a point or more.

Announcement by General Electric of plans to retire its special stock at $11 a share brought heavy buying into remaining stock, which advanced more than a point to 21¾. The special stock sold off ½ point almost to the call price. The whole market was stimulated by the news.

Motors and Steel in Rise.

Motors joined with steels and other industrials in leading the advance as traders heeded reports of preparations for a busy January at motor centers and for further expansion in steel operations. Chrysler spurted more than 2 points and General Motors 1½. Inland Steel moved up nearly 2 points to a new peak within a fraction of 75.

Christmas retail trade, according to Dun & Bradstreet, recorded gains in most sections ranging from 25 to 40 per cent greater than a year ago. A final check might reveal the best holiday business since 1929, it was said.

Local Stocks

(Furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co.)

Sales.

Georgetown Gas 5s—$1,000 at 108.

After Call.

Capital Traction 5s—$500 at 89¼.

Bonds.

Public Utility.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Tel. & Tel. 4½s '39	107½	.....
Am. Tel. & Tel. ctf. tr. 5s	108	.....
Anacostia & Pot. R. R. 5s	78	79
Ana. & L. guar. 5s	101	.....
Ches. & Pot. of Va. 5s	104	.....
Capital Traction R. R. 5s	89	90½
Georgetown Suburban 5s	78	80
Georgetown Gas 1st 5s	107½	.....
Gen. Pow. cons. 5s	104½	.....
Pot. Elec. 6s 1953	109½	.....
Wash. Gas 5s 1958	100	101½
Wash. Gas 5s 1960	109¾	.....
Wash. Gas 6s, series B	103¼	.....
Wash. Rwy. & Elec. 4s	98¾	99½

Miscellaneous.

Barber & Ross, Inc., 6½s	35	.....
Chevy Chase Club 5½s	102	.....
Columbia Country Club 5½s	101	.....
D. C. Paper Mfg. 6s	15	.....
W. M. Cold Storage 5s	92½	.....

Stocks.

Public Utility.

Am. Tel. & Tel. (9)	102¾	.....
Capital Transit Co.	26	27
N. & W. Steamboat	78	.....
Wash. Gas Light Co. (3.60)	58	63
Pot. Elec. Power 6% pf.	106½	111
Pot. Elec. Power 5½% pf.	110½	111½
Wash. Ry. & El. com. (7)	300	.....
Wash. Ry. & El. pf. (5)	100	100¾

National Bank.

Capital (4)	*70	.....
Liberty (3)	75	85
Lincoln (5)	*150	.....
Riggs com. (8)	210	220
Riggs pf. (5)	104	.....
Washington (6)	*100	.....

Trust Company.

Amer. Sec. & Trust Co. (8)	*195	210
National Sav. & Trust	100	.....
Wash. Loan & Tr. (8)	181	194

Savings Banks.

Com. & Savings (4)	*195	.....

Fire Insurance.

American (12)	175	.....
Corcoran (2.50)	90	.....
Firemen's (1.60)	21½	.....
National Union (.70)	*9½	.....

Title Insurance.

Columbia (.30)	4	.....
Real Estate (6.00)	81	.....

Miscellaneous.

Carpel Corp (1)	12	15
D C Paper Mfg pf	1	.....
Emer Bromo-Seltz "A" (2)	18	22
Lanston Monotype (4)	48	.....
Mergenthaler Linotype	30½	33
Peoples Drug St pf (6.50)	110	111¼
Real Est M & G pf	*2	.....
Security Storage (5)	90	.....
Ter Ref & Wh Corp (3)	33	.....
Wash Mod Bldg Corp	2	.....
Wdwd & Loth com (10.50)	*25½	.....
Wdwd & Loth pf (7)	*109	.....

*Ex-dividend.

Baltimore Securities.

Baltimore, Dec. 28.—Closing prices:

Stocks.

Appalachian Cor. (2 days)	10
Arundel Corp.	16
Black & Decker	7¾
Cons. Gas & El. L.	51
Con Gas Elec. & Pwr. 5% pf.	104¾
Fidelity & Deposit (cash)	43½
Maryland Casualty	1½
Mfgrs. Finance pf. (cash)	8½
Mfgrs. Finance pf.	3½
Mfgrs. Fin. 2d pf. (2 days)	1½
New Amsterdam Casualty	5½
United States F. & G.	5½
U. S. F. & G. (seller 2 flat)	5½
U. S. F. & G. (cash)	5¼

Bonds.

Md. Elec. 6½s 1957 ctfs.	5½
United Rys. Pdg. 5s (cash)	42
United Rys. income 4s (cash)	12
United Rys. 4s ctfs.	12½
W. B. & A. Ry. 5s ctfs.	1½
W. B. & A. Ry. 5s ctfs. (cash)	1½
United Ry. 6s '49 (2 days)	1½

Chicago Egg Futures.

Chicago, Dec. 28 (AP).—Storage standards, December, 28½; January, 27¾; February, 27½. Fresh eggs futures, refrigerator standards, December, 22; January, 21; fresh graded firsts, February, 20.

Complete Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

(Associated Press.)

Total sales yesterday, 1,276,051 shares; previous day, 1,641,665; week ago, 915,820; year ago, 1,113,505; two years ago, 1,045,614; January 1 to date, 323,641,521; year ago, 654,023,065; two years ago, 422,964,569.

—1934— High	Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales—Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge.
		A					
11⅝	6	Adams Express	26	7	6¾	7	+ ⅛
34½	16	Adams-Millis (2)	1	32½	32½	32½	+ ½
11¼	6¾	Addressograph	3	8¼	8¼	8¼	.....
7⅞	3½	Advance Rume	1	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	.....
9⅝	4⅞	Affiliated Prod (.60)	4	7	7	7	.....
113	91¾	Air Reduc (4½b) XD	6	112¾	112	112⅜	+ 2¼
3¾	1¼	Air-Way El Ap (cash)	1	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	.....
23½	16¾	Alaska Juneau (1.20b)	20	19⅜	18½	19¼	+ ⅝
5¼	1¼	Alleghany	20	1⅝	1¼	1½	.....
14⅜	3⅛	Alleghany pf xw	3	4½	4½	4½	+ ⅛
16¼	4⅝	Alleghany pf $30 ww	8	5⅞	4½	5½	+ 1
14⅝	4	Alleghany pf $40 ww	1	4¼	4¼	4¼	+ ¼
160¾	115⅛	Al Chem & Dye (6)	9	133½	131¼	133½	+ 2½
23⅜	10⅝	Ails-Chal Mfg	56	16½	15⅜	16½	+ 1
20½	11½	Alpha P Cem (¼g)	4	18⅜	18⅜	18⅝	+ ⅛
7¾	2¾	Amal Leather	3	3½	3½	3½	.....
55⅞	39	Amerada (2)	10	51½	49	51½	+ 3¼
48	25¼	Am Ag Ch Del (2)	1	46½	45⅝	46½	+ 1½
25¼	11½	Am Bank Note	7	14½	13⅝	14½	+ 1½
38	19½	Am Brake Shoe (.80)	3	27¾	27½	27¾	+ ⅛
114	90¼	Am Can (5b)	40	114	110¾	114	+ 4¾
152½	126½	Am Can pf (7)	4	151¾	150	151¾	+ 1⅝
33⅛	12	Am Car & Fdy	15	17½	15⅞	16⅞	+ 1½
56½	32	Am Car & Fdy pf	3	39½	39½	39½	+ 1⅝
12¾	4½	Am Chain	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	.....
70¾	46¼	Am Chicle (3½b)	7	65¾	64½	65½	+ 2½
62½	20¾	Am Comi Alco	18	31⅞	30¾	31⅞	+ 2⅝
13¼	6½	Am Crystal Sug	8	7¾	7½	7¾	+ ⅛
72⅞	46½	Am Crystal S pf	20	57¾	57¾	57¾	.....
5	1½	Am Encaus Til	5	2¾	2½	2⅝	.....
13¾	3⅞	Am & For Pow	23	4¼	4	4⅛	+ ⅛
25	11	Am & F P $6 pf	2	14¾	14½	14¾	+ ¾
30	11¾	Am & F P $7 pf	15	17⅜	16½	17	+ ⅝
17½	6⅛	Am & F P 2d pf	2	6½	6½	6½	.....
22⅜	10½	Am-Hawaii S S (1)	2	11½	11½	11½	.....
42¼	17⅝	Am Hide & Lea pf	3	25	24⅝	25	+ 1
36⅞	26½	Am Home Pr (2.40)	5	32	31⅝	31⅞	+ ⅝
10	3	Am Ice (cash)	4	3½	3½	3½	.....
11	4¾	Am Internat	3	6½	6	6¼	+ ⅛
1½	⅝	Am-La Fra & F	11	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
10	3¼	Am-La Fra pf	50	4	4	4	+ ⅛
38¾	14½	Am Loco	22	18	17	18	+ 2¼
74⅜	35½	Am Loco pf (cash)	1	40¾	40¾	40¾	.....
23⅜	12¾	Am M & Fdy (1g)	30	23⅜	22¾	23⅜	+ ⅜
10½	3½	Am M & T Met	1	3½	3½	3½	.....
27⅝	12⅞	Am Metal	10	15⅜	14⅝	15¼	+ ⅜
34⅜	21	Am News (1⅛)	1	25¼	25¼	25¼	+ ¼
12¼	3	Am P & L	21	3⅝	3¼	3⅜	+ ¼
29⅞	11⅜	Am P & L $6 pf (1½)	6	12½	12¼	12½	.....
26½	9½	Am P & L $5 pf (1¼)	6	11½	11¼	11⅜	+ ⅛
17⅜	10	Am Rad & St S	36	15½	15⅛	15⅛	+ ¼
28¼	13½	Am Roll Mill	27	22¼	22¼	22¾	+ ⅛
65¾	36	Am Safety Raz (.4)	3	65¾	65½	65¾	+ ¼
7⅜	2⅛	Am Seating	1	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	+ ¼
2⅜	⅝	Am Ship & C	1	¾	¾	¾	+ ⅛
30	17⅝	Am Ship Bldg (2)	20	22½	22½	22½	+ ⅜
51¼	30¼	Am Smelt & R	58	38¾	37¼	38¾	+ 1¼
125	100	Am Smelt pf (.7)	1	123	123	123	+ ⅜
71	48¾	Am Snuff (3¾b)	1	65⅝	65⅝	65⅝	— ⅛
127½	106	Am Snuff pf (6)	10	127	127	127	.....
26½	10⅛	Am Stl Fdrs	17	16⅞	16¼	16⅜	+ 1⅛
44¾	37	Am Stores (1½b)	3	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	.....
72	46	Sugar Ref (2)	3	65	64½	65	+ 2¾
129¼	103½	Am Sugar pf (7) (cash)	1	125¾	125¾	125⅝	.....
24	13¾	Am Sumat Tob (1¾b)	5	23¼	22⅝	23¼	+ ⅛
125¼	100½	Am Tel & Tel (9)	51	103⅜	102¾	103¼	+ 1⅛
85½	65¼	Am Tob (5)	14	80½	79¼	80⅜	+ ⅛
89	67	Am Tob B (5)	29	83	82	82¾	+ 1½
13	3	Am Type Fdrs	3	3¾	3¾	3¾	.....
28¾	7¾	Am Type F pf	20	13½	13	13½	+ 1⅜
27⅝	12⅝	Am Wat Wks (1)	19	14⅜	13¾	14⅛	+ ⅜
80	54	Am W W 1 pf (6)	2	60	60	60	.....
17⅛	7	Am Woolen	7	9¼	8⅝	9⅛	+ ⅜
83½	36	Am Wool pf	14	46⅞	45	46¾	+ 1⅝
4¼	1	Am Wtg P (cash)	1	1	1	1	.....
50½	36½	Am Zinc L & S pf	1	37	37	37	.....
17⅞	10	Anaconda	92	11½	10⅝	11⅜	+ ⅛
17⅛	10	Archer D G Ale (1)	3	17	17	17	+ ⅛
39½	26¼	Arch-Dan-M (1½b)	9	37⅜	37⅜	37½	+ ⅜
103	76¼	Armour Del pf (7)	2	100	100	100	— ½
8¾	3½	Arm Ill pf xw	10	5⅜	5	5⅜	+ ⅛
71¼	46¼	Arm Ill pr pf (6)	32	67	64	67	+ 3
8¾	3	Arnold Const	2	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	+ ⅜
18¼	7½	Assd Dry Gds	10	12½	12½	12½	+ ⅛
89	46	Assd D Gd 1 pf	3	89	88¼	88¼	+ 1
73¾	45¼	Atch T & S F (2g)	28	54½	53¼	54¼	+ 1⅜
90	70½	Atchison pf (3) XD	2	84	84	84	+ ⅜
54¼	24½	Atl Gst Lime	14	36⅞	35½	36⅝	+ 1⅝
35½	21	Atl Refin (1)	18	25¾	24⅜	25¾	+ 1¼
55½	35¼	Atlas Pow (2)	3	39	38¾	39	— ⅛
16¼	5½	Atlas Tack	2	6½	6½	6½	.....
57⅜	16½	Auburn Auto	10	23¼	22⅝	23⅛	+ 1½
16⅝	7	Aust. Nich	5	14¼	13¾	14¼	+ ⅛
65	39½	Aust Nich pr A (5)	20	63½	63½	63½	+ 2¼
10¾	3¾	Aviation Corp	46	5¾	5¼	5⅝	+ ⅜
		B					
16	4½	Baldwin Loc	41	5½	5¼	5⅜	+ ⅛
64¾	16½	Bald Loc pf	2	23	22¾	22¾	+ ⅛
34½	17⅜	Balt & Ohio	52	13¾	13⅛	13¾	+ 1
36	10	Balt & O pf	9	16¼	15⅝	16¼	+ ⅛
102⅞	86½	Bam'ger pf (6½) (cash)	50	100¼	100¼	100¼	.....
38½	16⅛	Barker pf	70	34½	34⅛	34⅛	— ⅛
10	5⅛	Barnsdall	25	6¼	6	6¼	+ ⅛
48¾	23	Bayuk Cigar (1a)	1	43¼	43¼	43¼	+ ¾
113¾	55	Bayuk 1 pf XD	30	108	108	108	+ ⅛
19¾	10¼	Beatrice Cr	6	17	16½	17	+ ⅜
100	55	Beatrice C pf (7)	2	100	100	100	+ 2
15¼	8⅞	Belding-Hem (½g)	13	12½	11¼	12¼	+ 1
23⅞	9⅜	Bendix Aviat	53	17⅜	16⅛	17⅜	+ ⅛
13½	12½	Benef Ind Ln (1½)	19	16⅜	16¼	16⅜	+ ⅛
40	26	Best & Co (1½)	3	36¼	36	36	+ ⅜
49⅛	24⅛	Bethlehem Stl	65	32	30¾	31¾	+ 1¼
82	54⅞	Beth Stl pf	10	69⅜	67¾	69¾	+ 2¼
40	19¼	Bigelow-San (1g)	20	22⅞	22	22⅞	+ ⅜
16¼	8	Blaw Knox	10	11	11	11	+ 1
11¼	6¾	Boeing Airp	71	10⅛	9¾	10	+ ¼
68¾	44½	Bohn Alum (3)	6	59	57¼	59	+ 2¼
93¼	76	Bon Ami A (5b)	20	93	92½	93	.....
28¼	19⅞	Borden (1.60)	36	23½	22⅞	23⅛	+ ⅛
35¼	16⅛	Borg-Warner (1¾b)	62	30¼	29⅛	30¼	+ 1¼
3	1	Bourjois Inc	1	1	1	1	— ⅛
27⅞	12	Briggs Mfg (2)	72	27⅞	26¾	27⅞	+ 1¼
27½	14	Briggs & Strat (2)	13	25	24	25	+ 1⅜
37½	26	Bristol My (2.40b)	5	33	32¾	33	+ ⅜
8⅜	3¾	Bklyn & Qu	1	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	.....
44⅞	28½	Bklyn-Man T (1½g)	6	41½	41	41½	+ ⅜
80½	46	Bklyn Un Gas (5)	2	49½	49½	49½	+ 1½
10⅝	4	Brunswick-Bal	3	5	4⅞	5	+ ⅛
9⅜	3½	Bucyrus-Erie	7	4⅝	4⅜	4⅝	.....
14½	6	Bucy-E cvt pf	26	9¾	8¾	9⅜	+ 1½
75	50	Bucy-E 7% pf (2)	10	62	62	62	+ ½
7¾	3	Budd Mfg	7	5	4⅝	5	+ ⅛
44	16	Budd Mfg pf	1	34½	34½	34½	.....
5⅝	3	Budd Wheel	11	3¾	3	3⅛	+ ⅜
15½	5⅞	Bullard Co	28	14	13	14	+ 1⅜
4½	⅝	Burns Bros A ctf (1)	1	¾	¾	¾	.....
15½	4	Burns Bros pf	40	9	8½	9	+ ⅛
19⅜	10½	Burr Ad Mach (.40a)	7	15¼	15	15¼	+ ⅛
3⅞	2	Bush Term	4	2	2	2	.....
9½	3	Bush T T deb	3	7⅛	6⅞	7⅛	+ 1⅛
21	5½	Bush T Bldg pf ctf	1.20	19½	19	19	— ⅜
4¾	1⅜	Butterick	1	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	+ ⅛
32¾	13¾	Byers Co	11	18½	17⅞	18½	+ ⅝
87⅞	40	Byers pf	20	46½	46¼	46½	.....
		C					
44⅜	18¾	Calif Pack (1⅜g)	8	38	37¾	38	+ ¾
1¾	½	Callahan Z-Ld	8	1	1	1	.....
6⅝	2¾	Calumet & Hec	9	3	2⅞	3	+ ⅛
15⅞	6	Campbell Wy	15	10¾	9¾	10½	+ 1⅞
12½	6	Can Dry Ginger Ale (1)	10	11⅝	11⅜	11⅝	+ ⅛
18¼	10⅞	Canad Pac	14	11¾	11⅜	11⅝	.....
38¼	28½	Cann Mills (2)	2	34½	34½	34½	+ ⅛
86¾	35	Case (J I)	54	56	53¼	56	+ 2⅝
92⅛	56⅞	Case (J I) pf (4)	20	91	91	91	+ 1
38½	23	Caterpil Tract (1⅜b)	26	38	38	38⅜	+ ⅜
44⅞	17⅛	Celanese	125	33¾	32¾	33¾	+ 1¾
5⅞	1⅛	Celotex	3	4⅛	4	4⅛	+ ⅛
4	1	Celotex ctf	3	2¾	2	2⅛	— ⅛
22⅜	6½	Celotex pf	90	19½	16⅛	19	.....
22⅛	19	Cent Agulr (1½)	7	23	22¼	23	+ 1
14⅜	5½	Century Rib M	3	10	9¾	10	+ ⅛
44½	30¼	Cerro de Pas (1½g)	34	43⅞	43½	43⅞	+ 1½
27⅞	17½	Cert-teed 7% pf	20	27⅞	27⅜	27⅞	— ⅛
39½	25¾	Ches & Ohio (2.80)	21	44½	43⅞	44½	+ ⅝
38¼	34	Ches Corp (2½)	11	43¾	42¼	43¾	+ 1
15⅜	3½	Chi & N W	1	4⅛	4	4⅛	.....
9⅜	6¾	Chi & N W pf	4	8½	7½	8½	+ 1¼
11⅞	3½	Chi Gt W pf	1	4	4	4	+ ⅛
3	2	Chi M St P & P	2	2½	2½	2½	+ ⅛
13¼	3½	Chi M St P & P pf	26	3½	3½	3¾	+ ⅛
9⅞	3½	Chi Pneu T	14	6¼	5⅞	6¼	+ ⅛
28¾	14¼	Chi Pneu T pf	8	22	21⅝	22	+ 1
6¼	1⅜	Chi Rk Is & P	15	1⅝	1½	1⅝	+ ⅛
8	1⅛	C R I & P 6% pf	2	2¼	2¼	2¼	+ ⅛
9⅜	3⅛	C R I & P 7% pf	12	3¼	3¼	3¼	.....
30¾	19¼	Chi Rock Isl Oil (2)	11	29	28¾	28¾	+ ¼
11⅝	3¾	Childs Co (cash)	1	6	6	6	.....
17⅜	10¼	Chile Cop	1	12	12	12	.....
60⅜	29¼	Chrysler (1¼b)	267	41¾	40	41¾	+ 2¼
42¼	17⅝	City Ice & F (2)	6	20¼	20½	20½	— ¼
97⅜	67	City I & F pf (6½)	1.50	90¾	90½	90½	— ⅛
2⅛	½	City Strs	4	¾	¾	¾	.....
5⅜	2¼	City Strs A	1	5¼	5¼	5¼	.....
45	24½	Cluett Pea (1)	1	27½	27½	27½	.....
95¼	68½	Coca-Cola (7b)	2	158	158	158	+ ½
18⅛	9⅜	Colgate-Palm (¾b)	30	17⅜	17¼	17½	+ ⅛
101½	68½	Colgate-Paum pf (6)	2	100¾	100¾	100¾	.....
28½	10	Coll & Alk	34	14⅜	12¾	14⅜	+ 2⅜
33¼	13	Col & Sou 1 pf	10	13½	13½	13½	+ ¼
8¾	3⅝	Col Fuel & Ir	1	4¼	4¼	4¼	+ ⅛
19¼	6⅜	Colum G & El	83	7⅞	7	7⅜	+ ⅛
78¾	52	Col G&E pf A (6)	2	53¼	53	53¼	.....
71	41	Col G&E 5½ pf (5)	40	46	45¾	46	+ ⅛
41⅜	21½	Column Pict vtc (1a)	5	38	37¼	38	+ 1¼
77¼	58	Colum Carb (3.60b)	16	74¼	72	74¼	+ 2½
39	18⅜	Comi Credit (2)	40	39½	38	39½	+ 1½
110	91½	Comi Cr 1 pf (6½)	1	109½	109	109	— 1
30⅛	24	Comi Cr pf B (2)	20	30	30	30	.....
61	35¾	Comi Invest Tr (2⅛b)	23	58⅜	56	58⅜	+ 2⅜
114	91	Comi Inv Tr pf (6h)	2	114	113¼	114	+ ⅜
36⅜	15¾	Comi Solv (.60)	99.50	21¾	21½	21⅝	+ ⅛
3¾	1	Com'with & Sou	147	1¼	1	1¼	+ ⅛
52⅜	21½	Com & Sou pf (6)	15	30½	29¾	30½	+ ⅛
35⅜	22	Congoleum-Na (2b)	34	34⅜	34	34⅛	+ ⅜
13⅜	5¼	Consol Cigar	2	9½	9½	9½	— ½
74	45¼	Con Cig pf (7)	20	74½	74½	74½	+ 2½
6¼	1⅜	Con Film	7	6	5⅞	5⅞	+ ⅛
20¼	10⅜	Con Film pf (2k)	1	20¼	19¾	20	+ ⅛
47⅜	18½	Con Gas (1)	185	19⅝	19¼	19¾	+ ⅛
95	72¾	Con Gas pf (5)	19	76	73	75⅛	+ 3⅛
4⅜	1½	Con Laundries (cash)	1	2	2	2	.....
14¼	7¼	Con Oil (.42g)	163	8½	7¼	8½	+ 1¼
6¾	2⅛	Con R R Cuba pf	3	2¾	2¾	2¾	.....
2⅛	⅛	Con Text	3	⅜	⅜	⅜	.....
13¾	6⅛	Container A	20	12¾	12¼	12½	+ ⅜
5⅜	2⅜	Container B	20	4⅞	4½	4⅞	+ ⅜
14⅜	5¼	Cont Bak A	5	6¼	5¾	6¼	+ ⅜
2⅜	⅛	Cont Bak B	10	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
89¾	56¾	Cont Can (2.40)	24	63½	62⅝	63½	+ 1
11¾	3⅜	Cont Diam Fib	3	7⅞	7½	7⅞	+ ⅛
36½	23¾	Cont Ins (1.35) XD	8	33	32¼	32½	.....
2⅜	¾	Cont Mot	6	⅞	¾	⅞	+ ⅛
22¾	15¾	Cont Oil Del (½g)	45	18½	18	18½	+ ⅜
51	40½	Corn Exchange (3)	60	42	41½	42	+ 1¼
84½	55½	Corn Prod (3)	16	63¾	61½	63¾	+ 2¼
9⅝	3⅝	Coty	7	5¾	5½	5¾	.....
36¼	28	Cream of Wh (2¼b)	6	36	35⅞	35⅞	.....
17½	8	Crosley Rad	1	13	13	13	+ 1
36¼	18¾	Crown Cork (1)	12	25¾	24½	25¾	+ 1¼
8¾	6¾	Crown Zeller	2	4¾	4¾	4⅞	.....
38⅝	17	Crucible Stl	15	25⅝	23¼	25⅝	+ 1¾
71	44	Crucible Stl pf	1	62½	62½	62½	+ 1
3½	⅞	Cuba Co	15	1	1	1	.....
9⅞	3½	Cuban-Am Sug	26	5½	4½	5	+ ⅛
65	20½	Cuban-Am S pf	1.70	41¾	39¾	41¾	+ 3
52⅝	37	Cudahy Pack (2½)	7	46⅝	45½	46⅜	+ 1⅛
29⅜	13½	Curtis Pub	1	20¾	20¾	20¾	+ ⅜
95¾	43½	Curtis Pub pf (6k)	1	93	93	93	.....
5¼	2⅛	Curtiss-Wright	20	2⅞	2¾	2¾	+ ⅛
12¼	5¼	Curtiss-Wr A	23	3⅝	3½	3⅝	+ ⅛
21½	11	Cutler-Ham	8	17¼	17¼	17¾	.....
		D					
34½	10⅛	Deere & Co	72	30¾	28¾	30	+ 1¾
19¼	10¼	Deere & Co pf (.40)	15	19¼	18¾	19¼	+ ⅛
73½	35	Del & Hud	16	42¾	41¾	42⅛	+ 2⅛
33¾	14	Del Lack & W	19	16⅝	17⅜	18¼	+ ⅝
13¼	3¾	Den & Rio G W pf	2	4	3⅞	4	+ ⅛
84	63½	Detroit Ed (4) XD	1	69	69	69	+ 1
31	29	Devoe & Ray A (2b)	8	50½	50	50½	— ⅜
27½	21	Diamond Mat (1)	3

Curb's Prices Move Higher Under Buying

Virtually Every Section of List Gains; Sales Total 249,000 Shares.

New York, Dec. 28 (AP).—Curb market prices moved into higher territory today in a buying movement that gained momentum as the trading session progressed. Closing advances ranged from fractions to around 3 points, and the improvement embraced virtually every section of the list.

The volume was increased by a substantial amount of cash transactions for tax purposes. Transfers approximated 249,000 shares, compared with yesterday's turnover of 405,000, which was the largest since last February.

Parker Rust Proof rose some 4 points on the declaration of a special disbursement in the preferred stock of an affiliated company along with the regular quarterly dividend. Shelby Shoe came to life on a light buying flurry that advanced the stock 6 points to a new 1934 high. The company has called its preferred stock for redemption.

Bunker Hill & Sullivan and Aluminum Co. of America each finished around 3 points higher.

Sherwin-Williams gained 2 in an active turnover, while other issues appreciating fractions to a point or more included Electric Bond & Share, American Cyanamid "B," Gulf Oil, Newmont, Hiram Walker, Distillers Corporation-Seagrams, Pittsburgh Plate Glass, Swift Internacionale, American Gas & Electric and International Petroleum.

Bank Rate Unchanged.

New York, Dec. 28 (AP).—The New York Federal Reserve Bank today announced no change in its rediscount rate of 1½ per cent.

Foreign Markets.

(Associated Press.)

London—Although business was quiet, a cheerful tone was maintained on the stock exchange today. Industrials, especially iron and steel shares, gold mining issues and transatlantic stocks, improved moderately, but still-edged somewhat suffered from profit taking. German bonds were supported, while other sections eased. The market closed steady.

Paris—French issues advanced moderately on the bourse today under the vigorous lead of rentes. The closing was firm.

Berlin—Selling activity predominated on the boerse today, which was unsettled with prices lower. Quotations closed practically unchanged.

Treasury Certificates.

(Reported by Charles D. Barney & Co.)

Rate	Maturity	Bid	Offer
2½	Mar. 15, 1935	101 4-32	101 6-32
2½	June 15, 1938	101 27-32	101 29-32
2½	Aug. 1, 1935	101 5-32	101 7-32
2½	Dec. 15, 1935	102 10-32	102 12-32
2½	Mar. 15, 1936	103 4-32	103 6-32
3½	Aug. 1, 1936	104 5-32	104 7-32
1½	Sept. 15, 1936	101 13-32	101 15-32
2¾	Dec. 15, 1936	103 24-32	103 26-32
2	Feb. 15, 1937	104 5-32	104 7-32
2	Apr. 15, 1937	104 5-32	104 7-32
3½	Sept. 15, 1937	104 29-32	104 31-32
3¾	Feb. 1, 1938	103 6-32	103 8-32
3	Mar. 15, 1938	104 5-32	104 7-32
2½	June 15, 1938	103 25-32	103 27-32
2½	Sept. 15, 1938	102 21-32	102 23-32
2½	June 15, 1939	101 5-32	101 7-32
1½	June 15, 1936	100 25-32	100 27-32

Local Produce

(Prices paid shippers f. o. b. Washington.) (By the United States Bureau of Agricultural Economics.)

Live Poultry.

Fowl: Colored, large, 14@15; mediums, 13@14; Leghorns, 9@10; roosters, 7@9. Chickens: Plymouth Rocks, all sizes, 16@18; mixed colors, 15@16; Leghorns, 14@15. Spring broilers: Plymouth Rocks, 18@20. Turkeys: Young toms, 21; young hens, 23; No. 2, 16; old hens, 16.

Eggs.

Current receipts, 27@28; hennery whites, 30@32; Government graded and dated white eggs: U. S. extras, large, 32; extras, mediums, 33; U. S. extras, small, 26; U. S. standards, large 37; Government graded and dated brown eggs: U. S. extras, large, 34.

Fruits.

APPLES—Bushels: Virginia, Staymans and Delicious, U. S. No. 1, 2¼ inches minimum, 1.00@1.15; 2½ inches minimum, 1.35@1.50; 2¾ inches minimum, 1.50@1.65; 3 inches minimum, 1.75@1.85; Yorks: U. S. No. 1, 2¼ inches minimum, 75@85; 2½ inches minimum, 1.00@1.15; 2¾ inches minimum, 1.25@1.35; Kings, U. S. No. 1, 2¼ inches minimum, 85@90; 2½ inches minimum, 1.10@1.25; 2¾ inches minimum, 1.25@1.35; Delicious, U. S. No. 1, 2¼ inches minimum, 1.10@1.15; 2½ inches minimum, 1.40@1.50; 2¾ inches minimum, 1.60@1.85; Golden Delicious, U. S. No. 1, 2¼ inches minimum, 1.25; 2½ inches minimum, 1.50; 2¾ inches minimum, mostly around 1.75; Jonathans, U. S. No. 1, 2¼ inches minimum, 85@90; 2½ inches minimum, 1.10@1.25; Black Twigs, U. S. No. 1, 2¼ inches minimum, 90@1.00; 2½ inches minimum, 1.25@1.35; 2¾ inches minimum, 1.50@1.65; Bonums, U. S. No. 1, 2 inches minimum, 65@75; 2¼ inches minimum, 85@90; 2½ inches minimum, 1.10@1.25; various varieties, utility grade, range, 75@1.35; unclassified, 65@1.00; common storage stock, 75@1.25. Boxes: Medium to large sizes, Washington, Delicious, extra fancy, 2.25; fancy, 2.00; Staymans, extra fancy, 1.75@1.85; Romes, fancy, 1.50@1.80; Virginia, Staymans, combination, extra fancy and fancy, 1.65@2.00; C grade, 1.35@1.75, as to size; Delicious, combination, extra fancy and fancy, 1.65@2.00; C grade, 1.50@1.75, as to size; Jonathans, combination, extra fancy and fancy, 1.35@1.65; Romes, 1.50@1.65.

STRAWBERRIES—Florida, pony, refrigerators, 75 per qt.

ORANGES — Florida, boxes, 2.25@3.25, according to grade and size.

GRAPEFRUIT — Florida, boxes, 2.00@2.50, according to grade and size, few special marks higher.

TANGERINES—Florida, ½ boxes, 1.50@1.75.

AVOCADOS—Florida, boxes, 75@1.00.

LEMONS—California, boxes, 4.25@5.25, according to grade and size.

Vegetables.

COLLARDS — Virginia, bushel baskets, 75@1.00.

KALE—Virginia, bushel baskets, 35@40.

CAULIFLOWER—California, crates, mostly around 1.50.

BROCCOLI — California, crates, 2.75@3.00.

CARROTS—California, Western lettuce crates, 3.25@3.50; New York, bushel baskets, topped, 75.

BEETS—Texas, ½ crates, 1.65@1.75.

PARSNIPS — Pennsylvania, bushel baskets, 1.00@75.

CABBAGE—South Carolina, 1½-bushel hampers, pointed type, freight and truck, 1.25, old stock, New York, 80-lb. sacks, Danish type, 60@70.

CELERY—California, ¼ crates, washed, 2-3¼ dozen, 2.75@3.00.

LETTUCE—Western: California, crates, Iceberg, type, 4-5 dozen, 3.75@4.25, few higher; poor condition, 2.50.

ONIONS—50-lb. sacks, yellows, U. S. No. 1, New York, 1.25; fancy condition, 1.10; Ohio, 50-lb. sacks, Valencias, 3 inches and larger, 1.35@1.50.

PEAS—California, bushel baskets, Telephones, 4.25@4.50.

SWEET POTATOES—North Carolina, bushel baskets, Puerto Ricans, 1.00; poorer lower; Maryland, Anne Arundel County, bushel hampers, Jersey type, U. S. No. 1, 1.35; Kennerview, bushel hampers, Nancy Halls, U. S. No. 1, mostly around 1.25.

SPINACH—Bushel baskets: Texas, 1.15@1.25.

POTATOES—New York and Pennsylvania, 100-lb. sacks, Round Whites, U. S. No. 1, 1.00; Maine, 100-lb. sacks, Cobblers, U. S. No. 1, 1.15@1.25, few 1.10; Idaho, 100-lb. sacks, Russet Burbanks, U. S. No. 1, 2.10@2.15, New stock, Florida, bushel hampers, Bliss Triumphs, U. S. No. 1, 2.00@2.25.

TOMATOES — Florida, wide range in quality and condition, lug boxes, ripes and turning, wrapped, 6x6 and larger, truck, 3.50@4.00, poor condition, 75@1.50; repacked, 3-basket crates, ripes, wrapped, 1.50@2.00.

LIMA BEANS—Bushel hampers: Cuba, 4.00@4.50, poorer lower; Florida, express, poor condition, 2.00.

OKRA—Cuba, 6-basket crates, fair condition, 2.00.

PEPPER—Florida, 1½-bushel crates, 2.00@2.50.

PIMENTOS — Florida, 1½-bushel crates, green, 2.00@2.50, few higher.

(Quotations from Other Sources.)

Meats.

Beef, 10@15; veal, 12@14; lamb, 16@18; mutton, 10@13; fresh hams, 18@19; smoked hams, 16@20; strip bacon, 24@30; lard, 13¼@14¾; compound, 11½@11¾.

Game.

Rabbits, per dozen, 1.50@1.90.

One-pound prints (192 score), 33; tub, 32; 1-pound prints (90 score), 32; tub, 31; 1-pound prints (89 score), 30; tub, 29.

Transactions on N. Y. Curb Market

(Associated Press.)

Total stock sales yesterday, 249,000 shares; year ago, 270,501 shares. Total bond sales yesterday, $3,300,000; year ago, $2,860,000.

Sales		High	Low	Last
	A			
3	†Aero Sup Mfg B	2¼	2⅛	2⅛
2	Ainsworth (1¼)	18¼	18	18¼
1	Air Inv war	¼	¼	¼
.20	Ala Pow $7 pf (7)	39¾	38	39¾
.20	Ala Pow $6 pf (6)	36	33¾	36
26	Allied Mills	13⅞	13½	13⅞
3	Allied Int Inv	⅜	⅛	⅜
3.50	Alum Co Am	46	43½	46
3	Alum Ltd	20	19	20
1	Alum Ltd pf	57	57	57
.25	†Am Cit P&LA(3h)	30¼	30	30¼
11	†A O P&LB(.10g) ch	1½	1½	1½
27	Am Cyan B (.35g)	15⅞	14¾	15⅞
1	Am&Fgn Pwr cash	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
5	Am Founders	⅛	⅛	⅛
.25	Am Pound D pf	14½	14½	14½
34	Am Cas&El (1.20b)	19⅞	19⅝	19⅝
2.25	Am G&E pf (6)	83½	81¼	83½
1	Am Invest	3¾	3¾	3¾
9	Am Light&T (1.20)	9½	9¼	9½
.75	Am Meter	12¾	12¾	12¾
37	Am Sup Power	1⅛	1	1
1	Am Sup P 1 pf (6)	53¾	53½	53¾
2	Am Thread pf (¼)	4	4	4
2	Anch Post F	½	½	½
3	†Arctur Rad Tube	⅛	⅛	⅛
20	Ark Nat Gas A	⅝	⅝	⅝
8	Armstrong Ck (¼g)	23¼	23	23
2	†Art Met Wks(.45b)	4½	4½	4½
5	†As G&EL A	¼	¼	¼
2	As Tel Ut cash	¼	¼	¼
1	Atl Cst Fish	9¾	9¾	9¾
57	Atlas Corp	9¼	8⅞	9⅛
4	Atlas Corp pf A (3)	48¼	48	48¼
7	Atlas Corp war	3	2¾	2¾
	B			
.25	Babcock & Wil(.40)	36	36	36
1	Bliss E W	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
1	Blue Ridge	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
1	Bridgpt Mach	4½	4½	4½
3	Brill B	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Br Pow To B(.9458g)	30⅞	30⅞	30⅞
1	†Brown F Dist	7¼	7¼	7¼
1	Buf N&EP pf (1.60)	15	15	15
2	Bunk Hill & S	29⅞	27	29⅞
7	Butler Bros	7⅞	7½	7⅞
	C			
8	†Cab El Prod vtc	⅝	⅝	⅝
2	Can Ind Alc A	7	7	7
1	Can Ind Alc B	6	6	6
5	Can Marc Wire	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
48	Carib Syn	2⅛	2	2⅛
27	Carrier Corp	17⅛	16⅝	17⅛
4	†Catalin Am	6⅛	6	6
.25	Celanese pf (7)	101	101	101
3.25	Celanese 1st pf (7)	104	101¾	104
1.30	Celluloid 1 pf(cash)	76	75¾	76
1	Cen Hud G&E (.80)	85¾	85¾	85¾
1	Cen & SW Ut	¼	¼	¼
10	Cen St El	⅜	⅜	⅜
1	Cen St E 6 pf	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
1	Cen St E 7 pf	2¾	2¼	2¾
4.50	Cen St E cv pf n	1¼	1¼	1¼
1	†Centrif Pf (1.40)	4¼	4¼	4¼
3	†Charis (1½)	14¼	14⅜	14½
6	Chi Riv&Mch (⅝g)	14¾	14¼	14⅝
1	Childs pf	29½	29⅜	29⅜
66	Cities Service	1½	1½	1½
4	Cit Serv pf	11¼	11¼	11¼
20	Cit Serv B pf	10¼	10⅛	10⅜
1	City & Sub Ho(.30)	3¼	3¼	3¼
1	Cockshutt Plow	8½	8½	8½
1	†Cleve Tract	5½	5½	5½
1	†Colon Oil	¾	¾	¾
1	Colts Pat (1½b)	24¼	24¼	24¼
.25	Colum G&E pf (5)	62	62	62
6	Colum O & G vtc	⅜	⅜	⅜
18	Comwith & So war	⅛	⅛	⅛
2	Comm P&L 1 pf	6	5⅝	5⅝
7	†Cons Aire	10	9⅞	9¾
1	Con Auto M pf	⅛	⅛	⅛
13	Cons Chem Ind	1	1	1
4	Cons G&E Bal(3.60)	51	51	51
1	†Cons Ret Strs	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
1	†Cons Royalty (.20)	1¼	1¼	1¼
3	Cord Corp (¼g)	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
4	†Cosden Oil	⅝	⅝	⅝
3	Courtaulds (2.85g)	11⅛	11⅛	11¼
3	Crane Co	10	9½	10
41	Creole Pet	13½	12⅝	13⅛
10	Crocker Wh	6⅜	6	6¼
3	Croft Brewing	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
1	†Crown C Pet	¾	¾	¾
14	Crown C IntlA(¾k)	8¼	8	8¼
2	Cuneo Press (1.20)	33½	33	33½
84	†Cusi Mex	2	1⅞	2
	D			
153	Dist Corp Seagr	16⅜	15½	16⅜
10	†Doehler Die Cast	14	13½	13¾
3	Domin Stl & Cl B	5¼	5¼	5¼
8	Dow Chem (2)	85	84½	85
1	†Driver-Harris (½g)	15¼	15¼	15¼
1	Duke Power (3)	36½	35¾	36½
13	Duval Tex	10½	10	10⅜
	E			
7	Eagle Pich Lead	5	5	5
7	East Gas & F	5	5	5
50	East G&F p pf(4½)	62	62	62
1.50	East G&F 6 pf (6)	51¼	50¼	50½
7	†East St P B pf	5⅜	4⅝	5⅜
95	El Bond & Sh	7	6½	7
.50	Economy Groc Strs	20¼	20¼	20¼
9	El B & S pf (6)	40	38	40
2	El B & S 5 pf (5)	34½	34¾	34½
	F			
2	El Pow As A (.40)	3⅝	3½	3⅝
2.50	†El Sh pf	39¾	38¾	39¾
1	Emp G&F 7 pf	15⅝	15¼	15⅝
11	†Equity Corp	1⅝	1½	1⅝
1	†Europ El A (.60)	9	9	9
19	Europ El deb rts	¾	½	¾
6	†Ex-cello A & T	7⅞	7½	7⅞
	F			
3	Fairchild Av	8⅞	8¾	8⅞
.50	Fajardo Sug	73	71	71
2	†Falstaff Brew	2½	2½	2½
3	Fanny F n (.31¼b)	9	8¼	9
20	Fisk Rub	11½	10½	11½
2.50	Fisk Rub pf (6)	82¼	82	82
6	Flintkote A (4g)	15	14⅞	15
1.64	Fla F&L 7 pf(cash)	12	12	12
22	Ford M Can A(1¼g)	28¾	28	28½
.25	Ford M CanB(1¼g)	36½	36½	36½
10	Ford Mot Ltd	8¼	8⅛	8⅛
1	Forem Da pf	½	½	½
	G			
4	†Garlock Pkg (.80)	25	24⅜	25
1	Gen Alloys	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
13	†Gen Aviation	5½	5	5⅜
1	Gen Fireproofing	5	5	5
1.50	Gen G&E cv pf B	13¾	13½	13¾
2	Gen Invest	⅛	⅛	⅛
.75	Gen T & Rub	64¼	64	64¼
.25	Gen T&R A pf (6)	89½	89½	89½
9	Glen Alden (1¼b)	23½	23	23⅛
1	†Globe Under (½g)	7	7	7
1	Gor M vtc(1¼g)XD	17¼	17¼	17¼
.20	Gt A&P nv (7b)	135	135	135
.50	Gt A&P 1st pf (7)	127	127	127
1	Greenf T & D	6½	6½	6⅜
60	Greyhound	24⅛	23⅝	24⅛
2	†Groc Str vtc	¼	¼	¼
8	Gulf Oil Pa	55	54	55
	H			
1	†Hamilton Gas vtc	⅛	⅛	⅛
5	†Hecla Min (.40)	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞
6	Helena Rubin	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
13	†Hir Walker	25⅜	24⅜	25⅜
3	†Hir Walker pf (1)	16⅜	16⅛	16⅜
4	Holling G (1.40b)	19¾	19½	19⅝
1	Horn A C	1¾	1¾	1¾
8	†Hudson Bay M&S	12⅛	11⅞	12⅛
13	Humble Oil (1)	49	48¾	49
.50	Hurd Del pf stp(4)	22	22	22
1	†Hygrade Food	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
.25	Hygrade Sylv (2)	26¾	26¾	26¾
	I			
16	Imp Oil Can (.80b)	16⅞	16¾	16⅞
2	ImpOil Ca rec(.80b)	17	16¾	17
.50	Indus Fin pf	2¾	2¾	2¾
1.75	Int Hyd-El pf	7¾	7	7¾
1	†Int Mining (.15)	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
17	Internat Pet (2b)	30⅞	30½	30¾
1	†Inters Hos (2)	27½	27½	27½
1	Inters Pw Del pf	9	8¾	8¾
1	†Ital Superpow A	1	1	1
	J			
.20	†Jonas & Naum	25½	25½	25½
.10	Jones & Lau Stl	25	25	25
	K			
6	†Kingsb Brew	1⅝	1½	1½
	L			
9	Lake Shore M(3½b)	54½	54¼	54½
2	Lakey Fdy & M	1¼	1¼	1¼
1	†Lefcourt Real	1¼	1¼	1¼
2	†Lerner Stores	39¾	39¾	39¾
5	Lib McN&L	6¼	6¼	6¼
4	Lone Star Gas	5	4⅞	5
5	Long Is Lt	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
10	Long Is L pf (7)	49	49	49
.50	Long Is L pf B (6)	36	36	36
11	†Louis L & E	4⅞	4⅝	4⅞
3	Lynch Corp (2)	34¼	34	34¼
	M			
1	†McCord Rad B	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜
.10	Mangel Strs pf ww	55¼	55¼	55¼
1	Marion St Shov	2	2	2
3	†Mavis Bot A	⅛	⅛	⅛
4	Merritt-C & S	⅞	⅞	⅞
1	Merritt C & S pfA	7	7	7
13	Mid West Util cash			
.10	Minn Honey pf (6)	104½	104½	104½
1	†Mock J Voeh (1g)	12¼	12¼	12¼
26	†Molybdenum vtc	8¾	8¾	8¾
.20	Mntr Wyd(.15%k)	125½	125½	125½
.25	†Moody In pt pf (3)	21	21	21
1	Mt Prod(.60) (cash)	4½	4½	4½
.10	Mount St&T&T(8)	103½	103½	103½
1	Murphy Co (1.60)	72½	72½	72½
23	†Nat Bellas Hess	2½	2¼	2½
2	Nat Bond & Sh (1)	30½	30½	30½
2	Nat Fuel G (1) XD	13⅞	13½	13⅞
8	†Nat Invest	1⅝	1½	1⅝
1	Nat Inves war	⅛		⅛
5	Nat Leather	1	1	1
3	†Nat Rub Mch	5¼	5	5
1	Nat Service	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	†Nat Un Rad	⅛	⅛	⅛
.80	Neisner Bro pf (7)	92½	92	92
1	†N J Zinc (2)	54¾	54¼	54¾
3	†Newmount M (1g)	37¾	36¾	37¾
1.50	NY&H Ros (4¼b)	40	39	40
10	NY Transit (.30)	3½	3	3
27	†Nia Rid Pow	3⅜	3⅜	3⅛
3	Nias Rh Md B	2¾	2⅜	2¾
3	Niles-Bem-P	9¾	9¾	9¾
3	†Nipissing M (¼g)	2½	2½	2½
2	†N Cent Tex cash	2	2	2
8	†Nor Europ Oil	⅛	⅛	⅛
2	†Nor St P A	9¼	9¼	9¼
	O			
6	†Ogden Gas 5 '45	95	95	95
25	Ohio Edis 5 '60	97½	96½	97½
7	Ohio Pow 4½ '56 D	105	105	105
5	Ohio Pub S 5½ '61	101	100½	101
1	Okla G&E 6 '40 A	99	99	99
18	Okla G&E 5 '50	99¼	99½	99⅛
1	Okla P&Wat 5 '48	47	47	47
1	Oswego Falls 6 '41	66	66	66
	P			
5	Pac G&E 4½ '57 E	101	101	101
9	†Pac G&E 4½ '60F	101	100½	101
2	Pac G&E 5 '55 D	105½	105½	105½
2	Pac G & E 5 '41 B	111¾	111¼	111¾
3	Pac Inv 5 '48 A	89½	89½	89½
16	Pac P&L 5 '55	57½	56	57½
11	Pac Wes Oil 6½ '43	100	99¾	100
4	Pen Cen P&L4½ '77	84⅞	84⅝	84⅞
13	Pen El 4 '71 F	74	74	74
16	Pen Oh Ed 6 '50	64¾	63½	64¾
12	Pen-Oh Ed 5½ '50	60¾	59¾	60¾
4	Pen Oh P&L 5½ '54	104¼	104	104
4	Pen Pow 5 '56	106½	106	106½
6	Peo Gas L&C 4 '81B	72	72	72
14	Peo Gas L&C6 '57C	89¼	88½	89
3	Phila El 5 '66	112¼	112¼	112¼
5	Phila El P 5½ '72	108	107½	108
3	Phila Rap Tr 6 '62	75	75	75
1	Phil SubG&E4½ '57	107½	107½	107½
8	Pied El 6½ '60 A	65½	65½	65½
2	Pied N Ry 5 '54 A	93¾	93¾	93¾
1	Pitts Steel 6 '48	94½	94½	94½
3	Portland G&C 8 '40	78	77	77
1	Potomc El P 5 '36	104½	104½	104½
7	Potomc Ed 5 '51 E	105¾	105¾	105¾
2	Potomc Ed 4½ '61F	94	94	94
	R			
.50	Rwy & Lgt Sec	6½	6½	6½
4	†Reliable Strs	5¼	5¼	5¼
1	†Reliab Manage	⅜	⅜	⅜
9	Reynolds Inv	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
1	Rich Oil pf	1	1	1
2	Rossia Intl	¼	¼	¼
1	†Royal Type	18¼	18¼	18¼
	S			
1	†St Anth Gold	¼	¼	¼
13	St Regis Pap	1⅜	1⅛	1⅜
1	Salt Cr Prod (.80)	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
1	†Schiff Co (2)	33	33	33
3	Seaboard Util	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Segal Lock	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Seiberling Rub	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
1	Selby Shoe (1.85b)	27	26¾	27
1	†Selected Indus	1¼	1¼	1¼
11	Sel Ind(alcit) (3½)	48¾	48¾	48¾
11	Seton Leather	4¾	4½	4¾
4	†Shattuck Denn	1⅞	1¾	1⅞
5	Shaw W&P (½)	18½	18	18½
1	†Shenandoah pf	15½	15½	15½
89	Sherwin-Wms (3)	89	87	88½
.20	Sherw WmsAAPf(6)	108	108	108
.20	Singer Mfg (14½b)	232¾	232¾	232¾
7.50	†Smith A O	30	28	29
4	†Sonotone	2	1⅞	1⅞
6	So Am G&Pf (.30g)	3¾	3½	3⅝
1	So C Ed C pf (1¾)	16½	16½	16½
.10	So Col Pow A cash	⅝	⅝	⅝
1	South Roy (¼b) XD	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
.25	Stan Comwlth (.80b)	32¾	32¾	32¾
2	†Stand Inv pf	17½	15½	17½
9	†St Oil Ky (1½b)	18	17¾	18
1.50	†St Oil Ohio	14½	14¼	14½
1.50	St Oil pf (5) XD	93½	93	93½
6	†St-Pow & Lt B	1¾	1½	1¾
1	†St Pow & L B	1½	1½	1½
3	†Starrett (cash)	⅜	⅜	⅜
1	†Starrett pf (cash)	1	1	1
.50	†Stein & Co (½g)	10⅞	10⅛	10⅞
13	†Stein Cosmetics	¼	¼	¼
1	†Stein (J M) vtc	10¼	10¼	10¼
1	†Stutz Mot Am	1¾	1¾	1¾
.50	Sullivan Mach	13½	13½	13½
8	Sunray Oil	1¼	1¼	1¼
16	†Sunsh Mng (.60b)	12⅞	12⅝	12⅞
31	Swift & Co (¾b)	18⅞	18⅝	18⅞
11	Swift Int (2)	34½	33⅝	34¼
	T			
1	Tampa El (2.24)	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞
9	Technicolor	13	12⅞	13
5	†Tech-Hab G (.40)	4¼	4	4¼
1	†Texon Oil (⅝b)	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
4	Tob P Exp(.10g) c	2¾	2¾	2¾
6	†Trans-Lux (.20g)	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
1	Tri-Cont war	⅛	⅛	⅛
3	Tubize Chat	5⅝	5½	5½
	U			
4	†Union Am Inv	20¼	20¼	20¼
6	Union Gas Can	4¼	4	4¼
1	Union Tob	⅛		⅛
6	Unit Aire War	5¼	4¾	4¾
10	Unit Corp war	½	½	½
49	Unit Founders	⅛	⅛	⅛
40	United Gas	1⅜	1⅛	1⅜
2	Unit Gas war	⅛		⅛
31	Un Gas pf	43¼	42¾	42¾
25	Un Lt & Pow A	1	⅞	1
9	Un Lt & P cv pf	6	5⅝	6
2	†Un Prof Sh	1	1	1
1.25	Unit Shoe M (1½b)	68	67½	67¾
3	†U S & I Sec pf	47⅝	47¼	47⅝
1	†U S Elec Pow	⅛	⅛	⅛
10	U S Foil B (.60)	13¾	13¼	13¾
1	†U S Radiator	3	3	3
1	Utah Stores vtc	1¼	1¼	1¼
10	Unit Verde (.40)	3¼	3	3¼
3	†Unit Wall Paper	2¼	2¼	2¼
1	Utah Apex M	1½	1½	1½
2	†Utility Equities	1½	1⅜	1½
2	†Util Power & Lt	⅛	⅛	⅛
.50	Ut P&L pf	4	4	4
	V			
1	†Venezuel Pet	⅝	⅝	⅝
	W			
2	Waco Aire cash	5⅜	5¼	5¼
1	†Walker Min cash	⅜	⅜	⅜
1	†Wayne P cv pf	3¼	3¼	3¼
6	†Wenden Cop	⅛	⅛	⅛
1.25	†Westvaco Ch pf (7)	99½	99¼	99½
2	†Wil-Low Ex cash	⅞	⅞	⅞
1	†Wil-Low Caf pf	5¼	5¼	5¼
14	†Wright Harg(.60b)	9	8⅞	9
	Y			
1	†Yukon Gold	¾	¾	¾

Transactions on N. Y. Bond Market

(Associated Press.)

DOMESTIC BONDS.

Sales in hundreds		High	Low	Close
	A			
7	†Aygrade Fd 6 '49A	65⅛	64½	65⅛
	B			
3	Idaho Pow 5 '47	106⅛	106	106
11	Ill Nor Ut 5 '57

Virginia's Capital Square

Effort to Obtain Lowest Insurance Rates Consistent With Safety Is One of State Bureau's Many Duties, Bowles Says.

By Warren A. McNeill
(Associated Press Staff Writer).

Richmond, Va., Dec. 28.—Saving Virginia citizens money by securing for them the lowest insurance rates consistent with safe and adequate service and at the same time giving them assurance of the reliability of companies doing business in the State is the function of the State bureau of insurance, as described by George H. Bowles, deputy commissioner of insurance and banking.

This branch of the State corporation commission, which occupies part of the tenth floor of the State Office Building, boasts a trained personnel which often is called upon to perform expert services outside of its regualr State function.

Mr. Bowles says that in recruiting the force an effort has been made to employ those whose training and experience are especially outstanding for the type of work to which they are assigned.

Recently the bureau has turned to educational work and now has a man devoting his full time to lecturing in schools on fire prevention. This is a field which Mr. Bowles believes should be further expanded since, he says, it is impossible for one man to reach all the schools in the State.

Workmen's Insurance.

Studies now under way by the bureau include auto and public liability and workmen's compensation insurance.

Already, Mr. Bowles pointed out, the bureau has secured two reductions in auto liability insurance, each amounting to 10 per cent of the premium rates. The first of these was secured at the beginning of 1933 and the other in May of 1934.

Reductions of fire insurance rates secured after an investigation by the bureau and made effective in 1930 are estimated to have saved residents of the State $817,000 a year, and last August the bureau secured reductions in fidelity ad surety bond premiums amounting to 15 cents per $100 of insurance below what the insturing companies had asked on each of two classes of bonds.

20,000 Agents.

Mr. Bowles points out that there are nearly 500 companies licensed by the bureau to write insurance of various kinds in Virginia and that the bureau licenses agents and solicitors who this year number close to 20,000.

Licensing these agents, he says, entails a vast amount of detail work, as the application of each agent is checked before the license is granted.

The bureau also examines insurance companies or fraternal orders with insurance features, sometimes alone and sometimes in conjunction with representatives of other States.

Commission Hearings.

Matters dealt with by the insurance bureau frequently lead to hearings before the corporation commission and result in issuance of orders regarding such matters as rates, policy forms, statutory requirements of insurance companies, compilation of statistical experience data of insurance companies, or orders regarding agents, taxes, deposits and other miscellaneous matters.

(In the next article of this series, to be published by The Post on Tuesday, M. E. Bristow discusses the work of the banking division of the corporation commission.)

Filipinos Arrive At Naval Academy

Supplant Colored Help in Middies' Mess Hall.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—The first detachment of Filipino enlisetd men of the Navy who are to supplant colored mess boys in the midshipmen's mess hall at the Naval Academy arrived here today and were sent to quarters on the training ship Cumberland. The group numbered 43.

Annapolis Chamber of Commerce and local civic organizations sought unsuccessfully to forestall the employment of enlisted personnel because of the hardship it would work upon the many colored boys of the city who had been performing such service during the past year.

The matter was laid before Secretary of the Navy Swanson by United States Senator Millard E. Tydings, but the Navy chief said the move was an economy measure and would have to be carried out. Swanson said further that the Filipinos would be taken from the various ships of the fleet at the rate of 10 to 15 per month until about 150 are installed for mess service.

Autoist Paroled In Fatal Crash

Raymond Hostler Served Two Months of Six.

Charles Town, W. Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Raymond Hostler, young resident of the Chestnut Hill section of this county, who was sentenced to serve six months in the county jail here for manslaughter, was paroled Christmas by Judge D. H. Rodgers, it was learned today.

He had sreved two months after conviction of being in an intoxicated condition when driving the motor car which crashed into another car on a mountain road near here, killing Paul Homer, young Gaylord (Va.) man.

Charles Wilt, of this county, who was with Hostler at the time of the accident, received a two-month sentence, which he had completed at Christmas time.

John Henry Gibbs Dies Here at 48

Was D. C. Superintendent of Telephone Firm.

John Henry Gibbs, superintendent of the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. for the District of Columbia, died unexpectedly yesterday morning at his home, 3601 Connecticut avenue northwest. Mr. Gibbs was 48 years old and succumbed to a heart attack.

He was a native of Philadelphia and had been employed in Washington since June 1, 1933. He had been an employe of the Bell Telephone system 30 years, having been located previously in Jacksonville, Fla., and New York City.

Mr. Gibbs is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Louise Walthall Gibbs, of Atlanta, Ga., and five sisters.

Funeral services will be held at Palmetto, Ga., tomorrow morning.

Two Men Are Fined For Virginia Assault

Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 28 (Spl.).—Trial Justice R. H. L. Chichester, of Stafford County, today imposed fines of $50 each on Jeck Jett and his brother-in-law, Alford Ledford, both of Washington, when they were found guilty of assaulting David E. Hill, a hitch-hiker, last Tuesday night.

Hill testified the two beat him when he refused to buy whisky for them at a drinking place near this city.

Debate on Bonus Sought.

Aroused by an article in The Forum opposing immediate payment of adjusted compensation for former service men, National Commander James E. Van Zandt, of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, yesterday challenged Henry G. Leach, editor of the magazine, to a debate on the question. In his challenge Mr. Van Zandt charged that Mr. Leach is "either deliberately misrepresenting the facts concerning the adjusted service certificate payment or totally ignorant of the subject."

LEGAL NOTICES
(Continued.)

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, holding a District Court. In re: Condemnation of land for the widening of Eighteenth street northeast between Otis street and Bunker Hill road in the District of Columbia. District Court No. 2316. Notice and order of publication. Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the District of Columbia (pursuant to a certain provision of the Act of Congress, approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act making appropriations for the expenses of the Government of the District of Columbia, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and for other purposes," whereby they are authorized to open, extend or widen any street, avenue, road or highway to conform with the plan of the permanent system of highways in that portion of the District of Columbia outside the cities of Washington and Georgetown adopted under the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1893, as amended by the Acts of Congress approved June 28, 1898, and May 28, 1926, respectively) by condemnation under the provisions of subchapter 1 of chapter XV of the code of law for the District of Columbia), have filed a petition in this Court praying the condemnation of the land necessary for the widening of Eighteenth street northeast, between Otis street and Bunker Hill road, in the District of Columbia, as shown on a map or plat filed with the said petition, as a part thereof and praying also that this Court empanel a jury in accordance with the law provided for in such cases to assess the damages each owner of land to be taken may sustain by reason of the said widening of Eighteenth street northeast, between Otis street and Bunker Hill road, in the District of Columbia, and the condemnation of the land necessary for the purposes thereof and to assess the benefits resulting therefrom, plus all or any part of the costs and expenses of said proceedings, upon any lands which the jury may find will be benefited, as provided for in and by the aforesaid Act of Congress approved May 28, 1926. It is, by the Court, this 29th day of December, 1934, ordered that all persons having any interest in these proceedings be and they are hereby warned and commanded to appear in this Court on or before the 7TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1935, AT 10 O'CLOCK a. m. and continue in attendance until the Court shall have made its final order ratifying and confirming the award of damages and the assessment of benefits of the jury to be empaneled and sworn herein; and it is further ordered that a copy of this notice and order be published twice a week for two successive weeks in the Washington Evening Star, The Washington Post and the Washington Herald, newspapers published in the said District, commencing at least twenty days before the said 7th day of February, 1935. It is further ordered that a copy of this notice and order be served by the United States Marshal, or his deputies, upon each of the owners of the fee of the land to be condemned herein, as may be found by the said Marshal, or his deputies, within the District of Columbia, and upon the tenants and occupants of the same, before the said 7TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1935. By the Court: F. DICKINSON LETTS, Justice. A true copy. Test: (Seal) FRANK E. CUNNINGHAM, Clerk. By HARRY M. HULL, Assistant Clerk. 21.22.28.29

MARK STEARMAN and HENRY STEARMAN, Attorneys.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 47190. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the estate of Marion L. Ridgeway, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 17TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1935; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 11th day of December, 1934. GEORGE BURY, Jr., 2224 Thirteenth street southeast. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. P—22.29.5

FRANK H. LONG, Attorney, Denrike Bldg.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 47483. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters of administration on the estate of Florence H. Fletcher, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 3D DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1935; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 3d day of December, 1934. ROBERT FLETCHER, 3033 Sixteenth Sixteenth street northwest. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 15.22.29

ISADORE H. HALPERN, Attorney, 1406 G Street Northwest.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, Holding Probate Court. No. 47342. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the State of New York, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the estate of Benjamin Teplitzky, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 14TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1935; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 11th day of December, 1934. ABRAHAM RABINOWITZ, 1406 G street northwest, Suite 902. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. P—15.22.29

E. R. COLVIN, Attorney, Columbian Bldg.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, holding a Probate Court. In re Estate of Henry Yost, deceased. Administration No. 45586. Order nisi for sale of real estate. Henry Yost, jr., and Herbert F. Ivers, executors under the last will and testament of Henry Yost, deceased, having reported to the court that they had received a private offer to purchase lot 5, in square 277, with improvements thereon, known as premises 1629 Thirteenth street northwest, in the District of Columbia, at and for the sum of twelve thousand ($12,000.00) dollars all cash, it is by the Court this 7th day of December 1934, adjudged, ordered and decreed, that the said offer of $12,000.00 be accepted and said sale be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 14TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1935. Provided a copy of this order be published in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post newspaper once a week for three successive weeks prior to said last-mentioned date. JAMES M. PROCTOR, Justice. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 12.29|a3

BASIL D. BOTELER, Attorney, Woodward Building.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 47453. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the State of New York, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters of administration on the estate of Mary E. Hunt, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 28TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1935; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 28th day of November, 1934. JOHN C. GOODFELLOW, 35-55 76th Street, Jackson Heights, Long Island, New York. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 15.22.29

LOUIS TITUS, Attorney, Investment Bldg.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 47028. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters testamentary on the estate of Burton S. Robertson, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 7TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1935; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 7th day of December 1934. LYLE F. O'ROURKE, Investment Building. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 15.22.29

OFFICIAL NOTICES

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL Board, Washington, D. C., December 22, 1934. Notice is hereby given that the following persons have applied for licenses under the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, that remonstrants are entitled to be heard before the granting of such licenses and that hearing will be had on such applications for licenses on January 7, 1935, at 10 a. m., in Room 221, District Building: 135, Ambassador, Inc., T/A Ambassador Hotel, Retailers C, 14th and K Sts., N.W.; 150, Harmanus Bleecker, Retailers A, Transportation Bldg., 17th & H Sts., N.W.; 302, The Rock Creek Ginger Ale Co.; Inc., Wholesalers B, 209-219 Seventh St., S.W.; 446, Rose Todresss, T/A Rose Meat Market, Retailers B, 4608 14th St. N.W.; 598, Alcazar Food Shoppe, Inc., Retailers D, 1720 L St., N.W.; 858, Mrs. Catherine Loyd, T/A Catherine's Restaurant, Retailers D, 5311 Wis. Ave., N.W.; 1049, Pure Wine & Liquor Co., Retailers A, 1005 7th St. N.W.; 1311, Nathan Robin, T/A Robin's Market, Retailers B, 2410 14th St. N.W.; 1618, Pomona Restaurant, Inc., Retailers D, 1307 E St. N.W.; 1620, Eat.e Restaurant, Inc., Retailers D, Earle Theater Bldg., N.E. corner 13th & E Sts. N.W.; 1998, Frank M. Fields, 57 Center Market, Retailers B, 1325 30th St. N.W.; 2084, Lewis W. Park, Retailers B, 3401 Sherman Ave. N.W.; 2436, Morris David Burka, Retailers B, 3904 14th St. N.W. GEORGE W. COPPUTT, AGNES K. MASON, ISAAC GANS, Alcoholic Beverage Control Board.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL Board, Washington, D. C., December 22, 1934. Notice is hereby given that the following persons have applied for renewal of their licenses issued under the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, that remonstrants are entitled to be heard before the granting of such licenses and that hearing will be had on such applications for licenses on January 7, 1935, at 10 a. m., in Room 221, District Building: 135, Ambassador, Inc., T/A Ambassador Hotel, Retailers C, 14th and K Sts., N.W.; 150, Harmanus Bleecker, Retailers A, Transportation Bldg., 17th & H Sts., N.W.; 302, The Rock Creek Ginger Ale Co.; Inc., Wholesalers B, 209-219 Seventh St., S.W.; 446, Rose Todresss, T/A Rose Meat Market, Retailers B, 4608 14th St. N.W.; 598, Alcazar Food Shoppe, Inc., Retailers D, 1720 L St., N.W.; 858, Mrs. Catherine Loyd, T/A Catherine's Restaurant, Retailers D, 5311 Wis. Ave., N.W.; 1049, Pure Wine & Liquor Co., Retailers A, 1005 7th St. N.W.; 1311, Nathan Robin, T/A Robin's Market, Retailers B, 2410 14th St. N.W.; 1618, Pomona Restaurant, Inc., Retailers D, 1307 E St. N.W.; 1620, Eat.e Restaurant, Inc., Retailers D, Earle Theater Bldg., N.E. corner 13th & E Sts. N.W.; 1998, Frank M. Fields, 57 Center Market, Retailers B, 1325 30th St. N.W.; 2084, Lewis W. Park, Retailers B, 3401 Sherman Ave. N.W.; 2436, Morris David Burka, Retailers B, 3904 14th St. N.W. GEORGE W. COPPUTT, AGNES K. MASON, ISAAC GANS, Alcoholic Beverage Control Board.

WALTER B. GUY, FREDERIC B. WARDER and LOUIS H. MANN, Attorneys, Edmonds Building.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 47573. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the State of California, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters testamentary on the estate of Lillie F. Tibbitts, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 17TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1935; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 17th day of December, 1934. ORETA T. DEAR, 29 Leiterman Hospital, San Francisco, Calif. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. de29.ja5.12

LEGAL NOTICES

WARREN E. MILLER, Attorney, Southern Bldg.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, holding Probate Court. Estate of George Miller, deceased. No. 46918. Administration Docket 101. Application having been made herein for letters of administration on said estate by Jack Murrell, it is ordered this 12th day of December, A. D. 1934, that George Miller, jr., minor, and Charles L. Louis, jr., and Mrs Charles L. Louis, jr., of 1150 East Clark street, Pocatello, Idaho, custodian, and all others concerned, appear in said court on MONDAY, the 21st day of January, A. D. 1935, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why such application should not be granted. Let notice hereof be published in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post once in each of three successive weeks before the return day herein mentioned, the first publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day. JAMES M. PROCTOR, Justice. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 15.22.29

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, holding a Bankruptcy Court. In the matter of Charles J. C. Clarke, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, No. 3143. Notice is hereby given that the above-named bankrupt has filed his petition praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that his creditors and other persons in interest are required to enter their appearance in opposition, together with specifications in writing of the grounds of such opposition, if any so desire, in the clerk's office of said court, on or before the 1ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1935. FRED J. EDEN, Referee in Bankruptcy. 22.29|a3

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, holding an Equity Court. In the matter of Jonas Franklin for change of name. No. 35096. Jonas Franklin, having filed a petition praying for a decree changing his name to John Kirby and having applied to the Court for an order of publication of the notice required by law in such cases, it is, by the Court, this 22d day of December, A. D. 1934, ordered that all persons concerned show cause, if any there be, on or before the 17TH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1935, why the prayers of said petition should not be granted, provided that a copy of this order be published once a week for three consecutive weeks before said day in The Washington Post newspaper. PEYTON GORDON, Justice. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) FRANK E. CUNNINGHAM, Clerk. By HARRY M. HULL, Assistant Clerk. F—de29.ja3.12

HYMAN M. GOLDSTEIN, Attorney, Western Building.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 47157. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of Louis Kolodin, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 14TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1935, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 14th day of December, 1934. SOPHIA KOLODIN, 1202 Quincy St. N.W. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 29.5.12

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, holding a Bankruptcy Court. In the matter of Raymond B. Dunn, Bankrupt. In bankruptcy, No. 3142. Notice is hereby given that the above-named bankrupt has filed his petition praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that his creditors and other persons in interest are required to enter their appearance in opposition, together with specifications in writing of the grounds of such opposition, if any so desire, in the clerk's office of said court, on or before the 1ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1935. FRED J. EDEN, Referee in Bankruptcy. 29

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, holding a Bankruptcy Court. In the matter of Benjamin Teplitzky, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy No. 3146. Notice is hereby given that the above-named bankrupt has filed his petition praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that his creditors and other persons in interest are required to enter their appearance in opposition, together with specifications in writing, of the grounds of such opposition, if any so desire, in the clerk's office of said court, on or before the 18TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1935. FRED J. EDEN, Referee in Bankruptcy.

PROPOSALS

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, December 27, 1934.—Sealed proposals will be received at Room 509, District Building, until 2 o'clock p. m. January 15, 1935, and then publicly opened, for constructing about 1,020 linear feet of 10" diameter sewer, Apply Room 427, District Building, for proposals and specifications.

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, December 27, 1934.—Sealed proposals will be received at Room 509, District Building, until 2 o'clock p. m. January 7, 1935, and then publicly opened, for making repairs, etc., to marble and tile work in the bath and toilet rooms of the Nurses' Home at the Gallinger Municipal Hospital. Apply to Room 427, District Building, for proposals and specifications.

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PLYMOUTH 1933 De Luxe Sedan; black finish; appearance and performance of new car. Priced low for this one; $425; terms, trade, plus 90-day guarantee.
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PLYMOUTH—1933 sport coupe; A-1 condition; $425; terms, trade. DI. 4310.
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PONTIAC 1929 second series coach, beautiful finish; 6 wire wheels, trunk and trunk rack; splendid motor; a remarkable car at $125; terms.
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MY GOODNESS! CHRIS'MAS OVER, AN HERE IT IS ALMOST NEW YEAR'S—
WELL, IT WON'T BE LONG TILL SUMMER NOW—
OH, YES IT WILL—
I JUST BEEN COUNTIN' UP—

AN' IT'S A HUNDRED'N NINETY-SIX DAYS — OR 4804 HOURS — OR 288,246 MINUTES TILL TH' SUMMER VACATION! LOOK!
The George Matthew Adams Service, Inc.
12-29

APPLE MARY — *Post Comics on the Air—Sundays, 8:45 a. m.—WMAL* — By Martha Orr

TRY TO CHASE ME OFF MY CORNER AGAIN, WILL YA!!
I'LL GET YOU FOR THAT— YOU——
12-29
GOOD NIGHT! THE MAYOR!
WHY YOU— YOU— OFFICER, ARREST THAT MAN!
HEY, I AIN'T DONE NOTHIN!
THROW APPLES AT ME WILL HE? NOBODY'S GOING TO GET AWAY WITH A THING LIKE THAT—
GET GOIN'—
:?
MARTHA ORR

THE BUNGLE FAMILY — Countess, Wait — By Harry J. Tuthill

OH MR. BUNNIE! YOU UP SIR! OUT OF YOUR SICK-BED! WHAT WILL THE DOCTORS SAY!!
DOCTORS... FIDDLESTICKS! SOMETHING MORE IMPORTANT. THE COUNTESS REFUSES TO SPEAK TO ME.
THE LITTLE LADY HAS BEEN INSULTED.
SHE INSISTS THAT I.. ME, MIND YOU, WAS VERY CHILLY TOWARDS HER THE OTHER DAY AND.. AH, HERE SHE IS.
McNaught Syndicate, Inc., N. Y.
12-29
NITA, LOOK! PLEASE LOOK! THIS, BABE, IS THE MAN, NOT I, WHO ALMOST LET YOU FALL ON THE FLOOR WHEN YOU STARTED TO GIVE ME...HIM, A HUG AND....
OH-H! SUCH A VERY GREAT RESEMBLANCE. MA FOI!
THIS MAN, MR. BUNGLE, ...I HIRED HIM TO AH.... REPRESENT ME IN BUSINESS. HE HAD NO AUTHORITY TO MUSCLE IN ON MY LOVE AFFAIRS OR..
OH, YOU HAVE MORE THAN ONE AFFAIR, MON CHERIE?
NITA, MY OWN, YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND. EVERYTHING HAS BEEN SO TERRIBLY HASHED UP THAT....NITA! LISTEN...
P-SS-T! YOU TWO FLAT-WHEELS, SAY SOMETHING. ANYTHING.
YES SIR, MR. BUNNIE... AH, PARDON ME SIR, BUT YOUR FACE IS DREADFULLY RED. DON'T YOU THINK?..
OH, DON'T WASTE TIME TALKING ABOUT MY HEALTH AT A MOMENT LIKE THIS, NITA! NITA! COME BACK! PLEASE!

JOE PALOOKA — The Convalescent — By Ham Fisher

I MUST SEE HIM IMMEDIATELY, SERGEANT.
HMM! LORD FUSSPOTTE'S SON, EH? ORLRIGHT— YOU MAY SEE 'IM.
12-29
B-BUT YA SAP— WHY DID YA HIT HIM? THEY SAY YA ALMOST KILT HIM!
HE DID PERFECTLY RIGHT, KNOBBY. DON'T WORRY, JOE OLD FELLOW. WE'LL GET YOU OUT.
I AIN'T SORRY. I NEVER LIKE T'HURT ANYBUDY— BUT HE ACHSH'LY HIT HER.
'OW D'YER FEEL, PHINEAS?
PRETTY GAWSH ORFUL. 'E 'IT ME FROM BEHIND WITH A CLUB. DID THEY GET 'IM? IT WAS DARK— I NEVER SAWR 'IM— THE BLOODY 'OLIGAN!
Reknaught Syndicate, Inc., N. Y.
'TWASN'T NO 'OLIGAN, PHINEAS. 'TWAS PALOOKA AN' 'E 'IT YER WIV 'IS FISTS FROM IN FRONT.
PALOOKA? D'THEY KNOW? LISSEN, JIGGER— THIS 'AS GOT T'BE KEP' QUIET!

DIXIE DUGAN — The Unusual Child — By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel

I COULD HAVE SWORN I HEARD TH' BABY SAY "NIGHT, DIXIE!"
WHAT NONSENSE!
McNaught Syndicate, Inc., N. Y.
12-29
—THAT CHILD ISN'T MORE THAN SIX MONTHS OLD
BUT JUST TH' SAME—
SEE— IT'S FAST ASLEEP! YOU WERE JUST IMAGININ' THINGS—
I S'POSE SO—
WHAT'S THIS? DID THE BABY WINK?!

THE GUMPS — *Now on the Radio—Post Comics—WMAL, Sundays, 8:45 a. m.* — Good Old 1934

WELL— THE OLD YEAR IS WANING FAST— A FEW MORE KICKS AND THE OLD FELLOW'LL BE DONE FOR— AND I'M REALLY SORRY TO SEE HIM GO— THIS HAS BEEN A GREAT YEAR FOR ME—
1934
12-29
LITTLE DID I THINK A YEAR AGO THAT THIS DAY WOULD FIND ME HAPPILY MARRIED TO THE MOST BEAUTIFUL, MOST AFFECTIONATE LITTLE WIFE IN THE WORLD— WITH A LOVE NEST THAT'S JUST BIG ENOUGH TO HOLD ALL THE HAPPINESS THAT LIFE COULD BRING TO A MAN AND A WOMAN—
I'LL NEVER FORGET 1934— AS I LOOK BACK NOW OVER THE BARREN EMPTINESS OF MY PAST YEARS-YEARS OF DESPERATE STRIVING AND STRUGGLING— FOR WHAT? FOR MONEY— THAT ONLY BROUGHT ME A GREAT LONELINESS AND A GREAT YEARNING FOR THE PLEASURES THAT THE HUMBLEST WORKMAN IN THE TINIEST COTTAGE, WITH HIS FAMILY CAN KNOW EVERY DAY— LIFE HAS CERTAINLY TAUGHT ME MY LESSON AT LAST— I KNOW NOW THAT THE GREATEST NEW YEARS GIFT THAT I COULD WISH TO ANY MAN IS A SIMPLE LIFE, A HAPPY HOME AND A LOVING WIFE—
SIDNEY SMITH
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DICK TRACY — There's No Question About It

ALL RIGHT, YOU BIRDS, COME ON OUT AND MARCH DOWN THE CORRIDOR TO THE SHOW-UP ROOM.
ACTING WITH THE SPEED OF A CAT- BORIS ARSON REACHES THROUGH THE BARS AND GRABS BOTH OF PAT'S HANDS - THE HAND TURNING THE KEY, AND THE ONE HOLDING THE BAR OF THE GATE!
QUICK BOYS! HELP ME PULL HIM UP TO THE BAR SO WE CAN GET HIS GUN!
AND SOCK HIM SO HE WON'T YELL!
MEANWHILE, UNAWARE OF WHAT IS GOING ON BACK IN THE JAIL HOUSE
WELL, WELL, CHIEF MORTON- IT'S GREAT TO SEE YOU COME IN- TRACY WILL BE HERE ANY MINUTE.
BRANDON, YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED A BIT.
GEE, TRACY- IT'S SURE SWELL OF YOU TO TAKE US TO THIS SHOW-UP OF BORIS ARSON'S GANG I'M ANXIOUS TO MEET THE HEAD OF THE SECRET SERVICE, TOO.
YEAH- YOU AND TESS WILL BOTH GET A KICK OUT OF THIS- A BIG KICK.
NO TRUER WORDS HAVE YOU EVER SPOKEN, DICK TRACY! EVER!

WINNIE WINKLE, the Breadwinner — The After Christmas Spirit

LOOK, FAWTHAW, HERE'S A LATE CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR YOU!! IT'S FROM A WILLIAM HENDRICKSON!
MY GOSH! BILL HENDRICKSON, TH' OLD FIRE CHIEF!! I FORGOT ALL ABOUT HIM!! NOW I GOTTA RUSH OUT AN' BUY SOMETHIN' QUICK!!
DEC. 29
WELL, BETTER LATE THAN NEVER! I GOT BILL A SWELL PAIR OF HOUSE SLIPPERS FER CHRISTMAS!!
BUT FAWTHAW, IT'S SILLY TO SEND A CHRISTMAS GIFT NOW!!
DON'T WORRY, GAL! I'LL FIX THINGS!!
Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year —from Rip Winkle

Today's Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS.

1 First piece sawed from a log
5 Pertaining to an ode
9 Part of a curve
12 Slay
13 Brave man
14 New: comb. form
15 Squanders time
17 One who deals in bills of exchange
19 Rail bird
21 Mails
22 Short sleds
25 Mystic Hindu word
26 Be under obligation
27 South American river
28 Resist
30 Parent
32 Act
34 Individual human being
36 Type measure
37 Masculine name
39 Smallest whole number
40 Evergreen tree
41 Abraham's birthplace
42 Cook
43 Cease: nautical
45 Coarse hominy
47 Under surfaces
49 The cream
53 American Indian
54 Ancient city where Augustus Caesar died
56 Pagan god
57 Spread loosely
58 Female sheep
59 Large vessel for holding liquid

DOWN.

1 Glide over snow
2 Cover
3 Entirly
4 Sanctify
5 Exclamation
5 Depart secretly
7 Masculine name
8 Writer of music
9 Aromatic seed
10 Repose
11 Light beds
16 Thus
18 Arbor
20 Heavy cords
22 Infant
23 Render accessible
24 Expression of disgust
28 Upper partial vibration heard with the fundamental tone
29 Music drama
39 Player who cuts the cards
31 Afresh
33 Tipping to one side
35 Drunkard
38 Playful struggle
40 Destined
42 Cut or break with the grain
43 Border on
44 Cast a ballot
46 Myself
48 Place for storing hay
50 Mountain in Crete
51 Unit of weight
52 Wild animal
55 Like

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.

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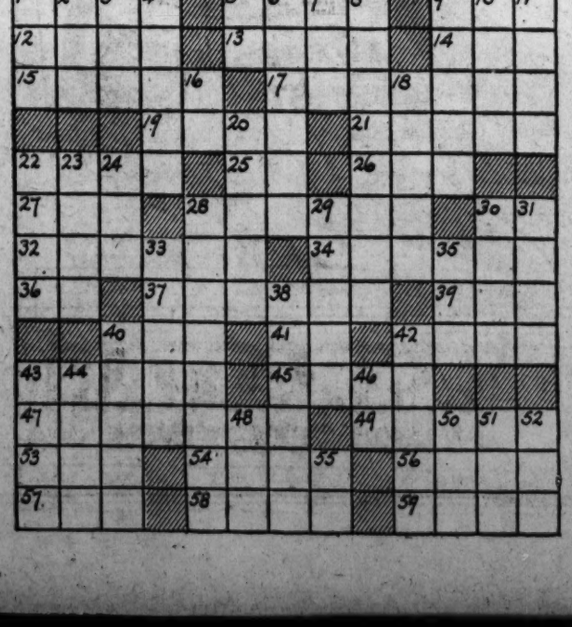

Walt Mason, Himself

In Court.

The judge sits on his bench and hands down his decrees; one fellow stole a wrench, another swiped some cheese. There are no long delays, no foolish waste of time; the men draw 30 days in punishment for crime. They may be innocent, but they must pay the freight; they can not spare a cent for lawyers to orate. They have small chance to talk, their errors to explain; the judge survey's the clock, time's passage gives him pain. We all admire the speed displayed in such a case; encouraging, indeed, is such a sprightly pace. We seek another court, where jurists learned preside; and there a wealthy sport, we find, will soon be tried. He has attorneys nine, great men of high renown, of reputation fine, the best ones in the town. And on the other side there is a brave array of lawyers who can slide to triumph any day. The jurists wear no frown because of time they spend; they all have settled down for six long weeks on end. A juryman they chose, to hear this potent case; and they inspect his shoes and analyze his face. They ask his mother's weight, the color of her eyes, and beg him to relate if she could make good pies. All sorts of foolish things they beg him to disclose, until, distressed, he wrings his whiskers and his nose. And so the days go on, all filled with such delay, and when the jury's drawn a week has slipped away. It is a foolish game, the way the lawyers poke; sometimes it is a shame, and sometimes it's a joke.

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Long 'Stages' Probe on Radio, Bars Newsmen

Calls Witnesses but Does Most of Talking in Guarded Office.

New Orleans, Dec. 28 (AP).—In a barricaded office on the eighteenth floor of a downtown skyscraper Huey Long's personally directed special legislative committee today opened a one-day investigation into the affairs of the New Orleans city government.

Long referred to it as "the inner lodge of the Kingfish," from which he excluded the public and all reporters.

But he allowed a radio station to broadcast the proceedings, which consisted of testimony against his political opponents, who he charged have committed graft.

Several witnesses took the stand, but Long did most of the talking. He interjected his opinions and conclusions and made short speeches. He said he was here as counsel for the committee.

The only way the press could have obtained testimony would have been over the radio, since Long and members of the committee refused to give out any information after the hearing.

Long came to the meeting surrounded by a squad of armed bodyguards. Posted at the entrance to the committee room they permitted only those allowed by Senator Long to enter the room.

3 Children Rescued From Burning House

Percy Parmes, colored, of 516 U street northwest, was a hero yesterday. He rushed into a burning house in the 1800 block of Wiltberger street northwest and, pulling three frightened little colored children from under a bed, carried them to safety.

The children were Lester Jones, 4; Albert Jones, 3, and Thelma Jones, 2. Their mother is Mrs. Lillian Jones. Police said the fire was started when one child threw a piece of paper on a hot stove. The small house was practically destroyed.

Gammage Is Named To Red Cross Post

First aid and life saving work of the District Red Cross will be under direction of Benjamin H. Gammage, 1702 Summit place northwest, after January 1, it was announced yesterday by the Red Cross. Mr. Gammage will replace Ira Lee Law, who has resigned.

Mr. Gammage has served the Red Cross ten years in life saving and first aid work. He was connected with the District of Columbia Chapter in 1929 as life-saving examiner and had charge of the river patrol under Commodore Longfellow.

D. C. Woman, 68, Dies From Injuries in Fire

Miss Addie Barrick, 68, of 4748 Wisconsin avenue northwest, succumbed yesterday at Georgetown Hospital to burns received Thursday when her clothing caught fire at her home.

Police said she was burning trash in the rear yard when the flames caught her dress. She was burned on the legs and body.

'Sky Maps' Improve Forecasts On Weather, Scientists Told

Gregg Reports on Use of 'Air Mass Analyses' by U. S. Bureau.

Pittsburgh, Dec. 28 (AP).—New "weather maps" of the upper air, showing what's happening up to three miles above earth, are proving better weather forecasts for the United States than ever before, the chief of the Weather Bureau announced here today.

The "sky maps" are the main feature of the new "air mass analysis" method of forecasting, in use by the Weather Bureau for only six months, but already proving of great aid in forecasting work.

They give the forecaster a much more complete picture of the structure of the upper air, where weather is largely born, than has ever before been available, said Willis R. Gregg, the weather chief, reporting to the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Air mass analysis is already proving its usefulness in forecasting general rain or snow, maximum temperatures, thunder storms and their probable movements, the probability of the "ceiling" of clouds, and likelihood of formation of ice on wings of aircraft.

Full use of air mass analysis is not yet possible, as there are still too few stations for testing upper air conditions to give all the data needed by the weather men.

Air mass analysis means analyzing temperature, moisture content, size and movements of masses of cold dry air and warm moist air that move across the country. Most stormy weather originates along the boundaries of these masses, which may be as big as half a continent.

Eight daily "sky maps" are made early in the day, each showing wind directions and speeds at different heights every 2,000 feet up to about three miles or more. They are compiled from data gathered by airplanes at 22 stations which test conditions up to 17,000 feet, and from pilot balloon observations made daily at 76 points. Other "sky maps" show temperature, moisture and other data at different heights.

Newsboy Finds A New Star, but He's 9 Days Late

Philadelphia, Dec. 28 (AP).—A newspaper boy whose avocation is astronomy made his own discovery of "Nova Hercules" and missed fame by nine days.

Dr. S. A. Mitchell, of Charlottesville, Va., director of the Leander McCormick Observatory, related the incident while here attending the annual meeting of the American Astronomical Society, which made the newly discovered star a major topic. He named the boy as Robert Lewis, of Columbia, S. C.

"He is greatly interested in astronomy and he has made himself a six-inch telescope," said Dr. Mitchell.

"He was out delivering his papers to his customers. He kept scanning the sky as was his continual custom. Suddenly he became aware that a bright star was shining in a place where he never had seen a bright star before. He went straight home and wrote me a letter telling me he had found a 'very bright star' halfway between Vega and Beta Draconis, which 'doesn't belong there.'

"He sent me that letter by special delivery on December 22, and I sent back word to him that he had made independent discovery of a 'new star' which had been discovered by an English observer, also an amateur, just nine days ahead of him."

Bridge Players' Last Day To Qualify for Miami

Bridge players of the District have only today to qualify for the Miami-Biltmore tournament, it was announced yesterday, two plays having been arranged at the Shoreham Hotel at 2:30 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. The winning pair will be sent to Miami, Fla., to compete with winners from 22 cities in the third annual competition.

The play in Miami will be January 14, 15, 16, and 17 at the Miami-Biltmore Hotel. Players in Miami will be guests of the Florida Year-Round Club.

Band Concerts.

U. S. Soldiers Home Band Orchestra, Stanley Hall, Soldiers' Home, 5:30 p. m.
March, "The Naval Parade".....Allen
Hungarian overture, "The Two Hussars."
.....Doppler
Morceau, "A Spanish Rhapsodie."..Ferroni
Excerpts from musical comedy, "Sweet Adeline".....Kern
Characteristic, "Sissy Giggles".....Howe
Waltz song, "When the Harvest Moon Is Shining" (requested).....Von Tilzer
Finale, "Neutrality".....Bernard
"The Star-Spangled Banner."

New York to Greet 1935 in a Large And Costly Way

New York, Dec. 28 (AP).—New York's public welcome to 1935 will be noisy, expansive and expensive, a survey of hotels and clubs indicated tonight, with reservations from celebrities and ordinary celebrators topping all records since the 1928-29 days and threatening even these.

Revelry will extend far into the morning of the New Year's first day, some of the gayer spots including breakfast for the celebrants in their $10 to $20 "cover-all" charges, which do not provide, however, for liquor, tips and taxes.

Nearly 200 hotels, clubs and bars have obtained all-night licenses from the alcoholic beverage authority, exempting them from the customary 4 a. m. curfew law, and another 100 will have the special permit by Monday night.

Average charges will be $10 a person, with a few places fixing their tariffs at $15 and $20, but the "extras" were estimated as virtually doubling those figures for each reveler.

Retailers to Discuss Jobs.

Representatives of retail merchants in the District of Columbia will meet at the Willard Hotel January 7 to discuss unemployment legislation in cooperation with merchants in 212 cities throughout the Nation. Heads of retail establishments in Washington will attend the meeting to discuss National and State legislation looking toward relieving unemployment.

Ship Movements

At New York.
Sail Today.
Ile de France, for Havre.
Navemar, for Barcelona.
Scanstates, for Copenhagen.
Tyrifjord, for Bergen.
West Cawthon, for Cape Town.
Sails Tomorrow.
American Trader, for London.
Sails Monday.
Examelia, for Naples.
Reported by Radio.
American Trader, from London; due at pier 58, North River, today.
Hamburg, from Hamburg; due at pier 86, North River, today.

Bombs Wreck Another Train In Coal Battle

Illinois Plotters Escape; Mine War Is Blamed; 3 Inquiries Start.

Woodlawn, Ill., Dec. 28 (AP).—A dynamite blast sent another coal train sprawling from the right of way today.

War in a new phase had come back to the Southern Illinois coal fields, long ridden by interunion hatreds. The dynamiting of coal trains has become an exact science.

Ten empty cars were blown off the Burlington tracks south of here. One trainman was bruised. Traffic was blocked for hours.

The bombers, as usual, escaped—leaving a battery and switch 600 feet from the wreckage.

At least five coal trains have been bombed in central and southern Illinois during recent months, all by the same method, and none followed by arrests. Officials regard this as the latest phase of the mine union war in which scores of miners have been killed. Picketing and bloodshed have declined in 1934, but bombings have been more frequent, apparently meant as retaliation against coal companies and railroads hauling fuel.

Today's blast was the second of the week. Several Illinois Central cars were blown up near Springfield Sunday.

Always the procedure is the same. Dynamite is placed under the roadbed. Wires run nearly a thousand feet into an adjacent field. The wreckers wait at night, their automobile handy, until a coal train arrives. After the locomotive and several cars have passed a switch is thrown, the train is wrecked and the bombers drive away.

Federal agents were reported to have joined county and railroad officials in the investigations.

Anthony Adverse Tops Books In Keenest Demand for Year

Only Three Novels Listed in Ten Most Popular Tomes During '34.

Chicago, Dec. 28 (AP).—What were the ten most popular books in 1934?

Only three were novels.

Ten public libraries from around the country put their cards together today to determine what books were in most demand during the year.

Here is the result of this literary popularity contest:

"Anthony Adverse," by Allen; "One Hundred Million Guinea Pigs," by Hallett; "Goodbye, Mr. Chips," by Hilton; "Life Begins at Forty," by Pitkin; "Testament of Youth," by Brittain; "So Red the Rose," by Young; "While Reme Burns," by Woollcott; "I Went to Pit College," by Gilfillan; "Nijinsky," and "Economy of Abundance," by Chase.

The volumes were not listed in the order of their respective popularity. They were chosen on the basis of reader demand at public libraries at Pittsburgh, Dayton, Ohio; Oakland, Calif.; Albany, N. Y.; Louisville, Ky.; Racine, Wis.; Washington, Indianapolis, Portland, Oreg., and Los Angeles.

Delegates to the American Library Association convention expected the selections to occasion some surprise. But they point out the choices coincided with the reading trend the past year.

Interest lessened noticeably in books of the morbid, sophisticated and lurid type. Patrons chose those with a more wholesome theme. Historical romances and adventure tales held their own. Nonfiction volumes dealing with business, economics, religion and practical subjects enjoyed much greater circulation.

Amazed Chinese Wait for Sight Of 'First' Train

Sian, Shensi Province, China, Dec. 28 (AP).—A pipe line was driven into China's vast northwest hinterland today as the new Tungkwan-Szan branch of the Lunghai Railway was opened.

Simultaneously, new life flowed through Sian, ancient seat of China's northwestern empire, giving promise of restoring some measure of the glory that was hers in centuries long past.

Thousands of passengers rode over the 82-mile extension stretching westward from Tungkwan, while tens of thousands flanked the right of way to watch in amazement as the first trains many of them had ever seen rolled past.

With the completion of the latest section, the Lunghai Railway now stretches 650 miles across central China from Haichow, in Kianksu Province, giving the nation's great northwest, heretofore isolated behind mountain barriers, an outlet to the sea.

To China's national government, however, this is only the beginning of its campaign to open China's uncharted interior.

Already complete are plans to extend the Lunghai line 400 miles farther westward to Lanchow, capital of Kansu Province, with work on the Sian-Paochi section scheduled to start immediately.

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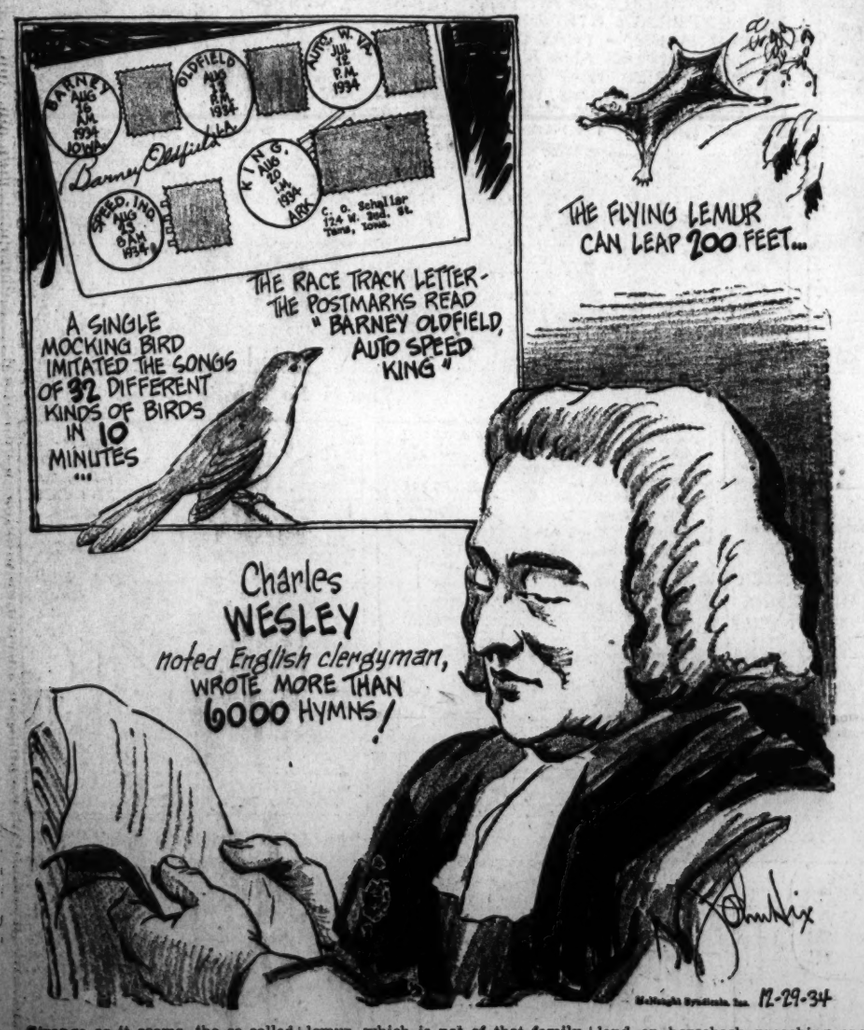
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Strange as it seems, the so-called flying lemur is not a lemur and it can not fly. But as a glider it is almost without equal in the animal world. The animal has long folds of skin which stretch between its fore and hind legs, giving it a large "wing-surface" which it uses in making long jumps. When jumping from a high tree the flying lemur can glide 200 feet or more before landing.

True lemurs are of the same family as monkeys. The flying lemur, which is not of that family, is not closely related to any living mammal. Two species are known, both of which grow to be about the size of ordinary house cats.

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Charles Wesley, co-founder with his brother, John, of the Methodist Church, was the songwriter of the new Methodist movement which swept England in the middle of the eighteenth century. Like his brother, Charles traveled through England on horseback preaching open air sermons when the doors of established churches were closed against the new sect. But more important in some respects was his work as a hymn writer. In all he wrote about 6,000, many of which, of course, are no longer heard, but at least 400 are still sung in Protestant churches throughout the world. His greatest religious song, known today to everyone, is "Jesus, Lover of My Soul."

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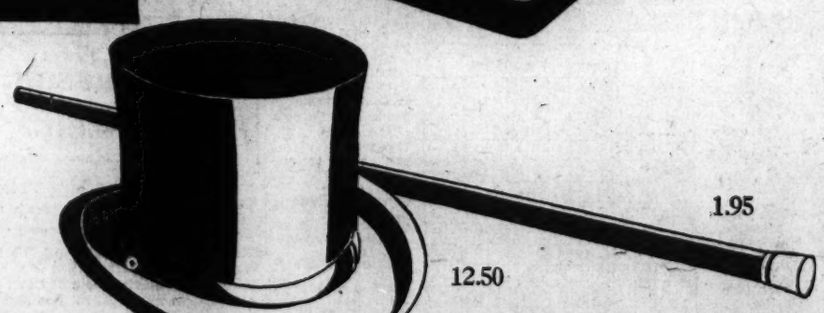

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